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Meeting of North Waldo Pomona Grange.

A special session of North Waldo Pomona Grange was held with Sebastieo Grange, Burham, Saturday, Oct. 27th. The meeting was opened in due form by Past Master C. C. Clements in the hall, but worthy Master F. M. Nickerson arrived in a short time and with the present stations acceptably filled grange proceeded with the usual business and conferred the degree of Pomona. The class instructed consisted of Vera McGraw, Evert Varney and Mildred Reynolds all members of Sebastieo Grange. The presence of State Master and Mrs. Thompson added to the pleasure and interest of the meeting. Mr. Thompson was called upon at the conclusion of the work and spoke briefly on current topics. Worthy Master Nickerson presented the matter of establishing a branch on the farm loan bank system in this county, also the matter of adding a sheep club to the Boys' and Girls' Clubs. The grange took no action upon either subject and both were left for further discussion. At this point a recess was taken for dinner. The tables were quickly cleared and a satisfying repast served by members of the host grange.

After a pleasant social hour the meeting was re-assembled in the fifth degree and F. A. McAllister, Master of Sebastieo Grange, extended fraternal greetings, and concluded with a patriotic poem. Past master A. T. Nickerson responded and the sentiments he expressed were of patriotism and loyalty.

Instrumental music by Vera McGraw was much enjoyed and was followed with poems by Ida Varney and May Chandler. Aldina Chandler rendered a pleasing song and Mrs. Thompson was called upon and responded with interesting remarks, urging all to cheerfully co-operate with the leaders in the work to be done for the conserving of food. Remarks were also made along the same line by Mrs. Jones and Miss Jones of Pama, who accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Thompson to the meeting.

A selection by a quartet received very hearty applause.

Mr. Thompson was again called upon and spoke of the work that the Grange may accomplish in the present crisis and urged all patrons to use every endeavor to sustain interest in the order, by holding regular meetings and making them worth attending. He closed by a short talk on food conservation.

The following topic was opened by E. E. Davis: What will we do as farmers in view of the high price of fertilizer. The discussion was continued by C. C. Clements, D. M. Kimball, A. T. Nickerson and others. All were of the opinion that the use of commercial fertilizer must be cut down to the least possible amount.

After the customary acknowledgments for courtesies and other favors, the meeting was closed with the usual formalities and the singing of "America."

The next meeting will be with Northern Light Grange, Winterport, Nov. 14th. There probably will be a speaker from the U. of M.

249 N. E. College Students in Service.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25. Of the 20,000 students enrolled in New England colleges when the United States entered the war, 5249 rallied to the colors immediately and nearly 3000 others took up some form of indirect war work, according to statistics made public here today by the Committee on publicity of the Connecticut State council of defense.

Harvard and Yale lost 65 per cent of their enrollments through enlistments. Amherst, Brown, Dartmouth, Holy Cross, Tufts, University of Maine, Wesleyan and Williams lost 52 per cent of their undergraduates before commencement day. Twenty-two per cent enlisted and the remainder engaged in indirect war activities. Many more enlisted after commencement.

WE MUST HELP ITALY.

Italy must be supplied with all the things necessary to keep it in the field. It must have food and fuel and steel. It is estimated that it needs 145,000 tons of shipping a month. We can supply much of this now, and probably all of it before very long. Italy occupies an important position upon enemy territory, and a continuance of its campaign will force Austria to its knees, and that will mark the end for Germany. Italy's resources are not great, but its drives at Austria must not be allowed to slacken, and if we cannot give Italy all it needs immediately, we can supply it with enough to keep it actively in the field.

Waldo County's Loyalty

Shown in Its Liberty Day and Its Liberty Loan.

Three cheers for Waldo county's men, women and children who made its Liberty Day celebration a great success and its second Liberty Loan total one to be proud of. Previous to Oct. 24th only personal forces had been at work under the able direction of Messrs. Orlando E. Frost, chairman of the Public Safety Committee and Clement W. Wescott, chairman of the finance committee with the earnest co-operation of the three banks, The City National, The Belfast Savings and the Waldo Trust. Co-operation was the key note from first to last. Considering the inclement weather and the lack of time the parade was very successful. The Belfast Band gave its services and received the cordial thanks of the committee and the well merited praise of the spectators of the day. The committee was fortunate in securing the services of Rev. Ashley A. Smith of Bangor who was invited to speak in Portland and in Orono the same day. It was equally fortunate that Prof. Clarence E. Johnson of Colby College, only a few days home from France, where he had been working for the past 15 months at his own expense. Prof. Johnson graduated from Brown University in 1909, spent two years at Harvard Divinity school and taught at Roberts College, Constantinople, Turkey, and was given leave by Colby to undertake this work in the world's great war crisis. All who heard him were conscious of the quiet dignity of the man and his freedom from exaggeration. Mr. Frost presided at the afternoon and evening sessions in the Opera House, whose use was donated with the exception of actual expense. Mr. Wescott spoke at the evening session, briefly stating what this loan meant and why this national day was appointed. At the close of his remarks his hearers realized the country's indebtedness to him for his most efficient labors.

Mr. Smith Said in Part:

"We are living, we are dwelling in a grand and awful time. In an age of ages we are living. To be living is sublime. Then let all the soul within you. For the truth's sake go abroad. Strike, let every nerve and sinew, Tell for justice, tell for God."

And if those words of Arthur Cleveland Cox were true in 1834, how much more tragically true and insistently applicable are they in these critical and momentous years of our nation's life. "These are times that try men's souls" cried patriotic Paine in the opening sentence of that epoch making pamphlet of the revolutionary days—"The American Crisis"—and the sentence is just as true today when we stand confronting perhaps the greatest era in the world's history, and when the challenges are thrown every morning at the feet of loyal and patriotic Americans to do all that in them lies to fortify our government and "make democracy safe for the world, and the world safe for democracy." The call is clear and inspiring to "let every nerve and sinew tell for justice, tell for God." We are asked to help as never before with men and measures and money against a ruthless military domination, a reign of Prussian terror and tyranny unparalleled in the annals of history.

Macaulay said, there are only two kinds of government, the government by public opinion, and government by the sword. And it is against government by the sword, that our government, with its allied Allies, is fighting this desperate battle against Germany.

You are asked to back up that splendid army of young soldiery now in training, with many already across the seas, with your dollars, with your food conservation, with your Red Cross donations and labor. The clarion call is unto you to buy Liberty Bonds, to sign a Liberty Bond? It is mutual insurance, insurance of your own interests, for it is the soundest, safest investment on the bond-market today: it is insurance of your own government and the high and noble cause in which it is engaged. It is a simple investment, paying a higher rate of interest than a savings bank, an investment that makes your dollars work in a righteous and glorious cause, this is one way in which you can "strike and let every nerve and sinew tell for justice, tell for God."

You can help in this way to make "the world safe for democracy" to make government by public opinion light against government by tyranny, by subjugation, by the autocratic sword. In this way you can help to make a living fact that you of Victor Hugo, "that there is something mightier than the mightiest armies, and that is an idea when its time has come." And truly, friends of Belfast, the hour has struck for democracy, and that idea and ideal must prevail now, or go down into the dust of defeat and the oblivion of failure. What is democracy? It is something more than the slogan and shibboleth of a political party, it is the broadest and noblest principle of human and divine government that the world has ever seen; and to-day it is a living fight for its very life against the most efficient military machine ever launched upon an unsuspecting world. What is democracy? Never was it better stated than by our great Commoner; America's truest Democrat, Abraham Lincoln, when he said in his Gettysburg address, "that government of the people, by the people and for the people shall not perish from the earth!" What is democracy? Let me illustrate what it is by an incident which occurred in the last years of the life of that eminent publicist and economic agitator, Henry George, when he was running as a candidate for mayor of New York city. He was to speak before a great crowd of working men at Cooper Institute on the very eve of the election. The chairman of the meeting had closed his introduction of Mr. George, by saying, "he is the friend of the working-man." When Mr. George arose to speak there was great applause, but his first words, spoken very quietly were, "I am not the friend of the working-man, and there was an almost threatening silence over that vast assemblage, but the speaker continued, "I am not the friend of the capitalist," and he paused again, as if gathering strength of soul for the utterance of this mighty truth of militant democracy, "I am the friend of man as man whether he be rich or poor, without regard to class, caste, creed or condition," and that great audience of men broke forth into tumultuous and prolonged applause at this statement of the very

genius of our republic and this utterance of its gospel of freedom and democracy. That is the message—Man as Man, that is rippling in every fibre and waving in every thread of our country's flag. When Henry George spoke those words he planted himself squarely on the American Idea, the spirit of the Declaration of Independence, and the Constitution breathes and throbs in those three words—Man as Man. This is our distinctive glory among the nations of the earth; this is the gospel of freedom and democracy which prophets of old vainly desired to see.

And this idea and this truth you citizens of Belfast have beautifully and eloquently exemplified in your parade through the streets of this fair and honored city today,—for in that procession, bearing our country's colors was a young man of the colored race—my friend—Bonds, I am going to be a bit personal and tell you, that with the first Liberty Loan I wanted my children, five of them, to know that their father tried to do a little something in this year of American crisis, and so he bought each of them a Liberty bond, and in the words of scripture, "Go thou and do likewise." Help your government, inspire your young soldiers, fortify the nation, "hit the Kaiser," by buying now the first Liberty Bond. When that young manhood of America goes "over the top" as the phrase is, on the frontiers of Europe, I believe that carnage will change its character and become a kind of courageously chivalry. Today we read in our journals and it is uttered by many lips that scenes such as those witnessed on the battlefronts of Europe may sometime be enacted on our own soil. Of this I do not know and cannot pretend to judge, and everyone who loves his country and abhors all war cannot think of it without a fervent prayer that it may never be, but if it ever comes, if the invading foot of a foreign foe is ever planted on our sacred soil, and the ring of rifles and the roar of cannon is ever heard on these shores, that invader will surely learn that American courage and heroism did not die at Lexington or Gettysburg, or breathe its last at Saratoga or Santiago, at Bunker Hill or Appomattox. It will again be demonstrated that the Red Badge of Courage can be painted in blood upon American breasts in defense of our homes and our loved ones. And to prevent just such a tragedy you are asked by your country to buy to the limit of your ability these Liberty Bonds.

Prof. Johnson, who is to speak this evening, will tell you some of the atrocities and indignities heaped upon defenseless and helpless women and children in France, in Armenia, in Belgium and Poland. Oh, it's a catalogue to bring the blush of shame to every cheek and to make the blood stir and boil in every artery and vein, and these "wrongs unredressed and insults unavenged" are cry and indignities heaped upon defenseless and womanhood for help and pity and compassion. And if America doesn't help now with money and men, then "judgment thou art fled to brutish beasts and men have lost their reason."

Look upon this picture (here Mr. Smith held before the audience a large photograph of the closed hands of Abraham Lincoln) it is not the mailed fist of a ruthless tyrant, but the hand of the gentlest, noblest man ever given to a nation in its trying hours of crisis—Abraham Lincoln. When you sign your application for a Liberty Bond may you feel that this noble hand is guiding yours, and his gentle spirit hovering as an hallowed presence about you, and may his memorable and incomparable words ring in your heart: "It is—'us' here to be dedicated to the great task remaining before us, that government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth."

May the appeal of Lowell in his "Present Crisis" be heard by every one here present: "Once to every man and nation comes the moment to decide. In the strife of Truth with falsehood, for the good or evil side. New occasions teach new duties, time makes ancient good uncouth, They must upward still and onward, who would keep abreast of Truth."

Here then the call of your country, enjoy not its privileges without responsibility, and obeying its invitation to subscribe to its bonds, so help to safeguard your home, to wipe away the tears of nations, to comfort sorrow and ease the pain of wounds, and perpetuate and preserve the priceless heritage of liberty and democracy for the world of humankind. I end as I began: "Strike, let every nerve and sinew, Tell for Justice, tell for God!"

Yest citizens of Belfast and loyal friends of former years, do your part in this hour of crisis, this time of turmoil and tumult, of stress and strain and struggle—

Men of thought and men of action Lead the way.

Prof. Johnson's Message.

Directly after the enthusiastic audience, led by Mrs. C. W. Wescott with Miss Amy E. Stoddard at the piano, had sung America as only Americans can sing it, Prof. Johnson, a typical American was introduced. He said he was never more proud of the fact that he was an American than when he came in sight of the Statue of Liberty in New York harbor, but he believed that pride was growing stronger as he saw how loyally his country was coming to the assistance of the Allied nations in their struggle with the most cruel and despotic nation the world has ever known. He landed in London on a Sunday and went to Westminster Abbey to the early evening service. The alarm was given that an aeroplane attack was near at hand and the service was dismissed. On his way to his hotel he found women crouching in the subway with little children clinging to them. Here, there and everywhere the innocent were seeking shelter. From first to last his discourse was filled with statements and stories that revealed the reign of fear and terror conducted by the representatives of the Devil who live in Berlin. France is heroic. Her men, women and children are in the fight to the finish. France is only tired and not beaten. War is hell, but from taxicab driver to her generals come the same thought, "just to the finish." They would rather be in their graves than under the German yoke. France did not want war. She was not ready for it. When Germany struck her first blow the French soldiers

were six miles back of the line and when the Germans advanced they were behind the French women and children they had collected on this territory. To Prof. Johnson the trenches of the Allies is holy ground.

He spoke briefly of the economic side of the war question saying there was no apparent lack of food except in flour, butter, meats and sugar, but there was no reserve supply. These are limited to 1 or 1-2 pound packages, etc. Coal is beyond the reach of even rich Americans living in France, and this entails great suffering. Paper has gone up tremendously. The labor question is a very serious one. Practically all men between the ages of 18 and 48 are in the trenches or making munitions. The French say of the laborers they import that it takes four men to do what one Frenchman can.

Women are doing their part as conductors, sweeping the streets, in munition factories, etc. It is no longer gay Paris with its music, theatres and social functions. It is a time of simple dress, no new dresses, coats or hats. Society women are giving up their all for hospital work and relief funds. Her religious life has been deepened and in all of her churches the sermons are on war. The French soldier is fighting with the help of God Almighty. Prof. Johnson said he had seen so much selfishness that he did not think he could ever be selfish himself. They say men were not made to kill each other. But they are forced in and are now fighting for idealism, for their future, for humanity and to kill war.

French prisoners in Germany are not allowed to receive packages from home or to send home their addresses. The German nation today is a curse to the world. You can't trust them. He then told stories of cruelty that made many of his hearers tremble with sympathy. He gave vivid word pictures of the scenes when the news was received that the United States had entered the war, of the arrival of our Army and Navy, of supplies and munitions.

This is our war today with only a pond between us and Germany, if England and France are overcome. Germany thinks she is God's chosen nation and destined to rule the world.

Prof. Johnson showed two large posters used in France to advertise her loan and used them most effectively in his plea for all his hearers to buy Liberty bonds. In conclusion he said: "They would like to come over here and get our dollars. If we don't buy these Liberty bonds in this great movement for liberty, we are going to live on the blood of the sacrifice of others as long as we live."

Saturday at 9 p. m. the old Paul Revere bell in the First Parish (Unitarian) church and one prolonged, clear and steady blast of the gong at Mathews Mill announced to the people interested that Waldo county had gone over the top of its maximum of \$524,000 on the National loan of 5 billion. The total \$575,700 in Waldo county contained the following individual subscriptions: Largest, F. S. Pendleton & Co. of Islesboro, \$35,000; The Banks collectively, \$55,000; 4 of \$10,000; 6 of \$5,000; 1 of \$4,000; 1 of \$3,500; 4 of \$3,000; 1 of \$2,500. There were 1769 subscriptions in all.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

The regular meeting of Canton Paljas, P. M., I. O. O. F., will be held Wednesday evening, Nov. 7th, at Odd Fellows hall, for the annual nomination of officers to be elected in December.

The Davis Stock Co., which was to have given an entertainment for Primrose Chapter, O. E. S. in the early summer, will furnish the entertainment at the meeting next Friday evening. The committee scheduled for next Friday evening will consolidate with the committee for Nov. 16th, when the men's supper will be given and an inspection of the Chapter.

Tarratine Tribe of Red Men will entertain as their guest next Monday evening Great Senior Sagamore Foss of Portland who will make an official visit to the Tribe. It is expected that a banquet will be served in his honor and that the occasion will be a noteworthy one, with a good attendance. At the last meeting a Past Sachem's sash was presented to Past Sachem Milton T. Healey, who has just retired from the chair and who is soon to leave to locate in Massachusetts. Lunch was served following the meeting and the occasion was a very pleasant one. The committee to look after the Monday night banquet are Edwin S. Perkins, Milton T. Healey and James A. G. Beach. Unusually good interest prevails in the Tribe this season although the call to colors has been a great loss to the working division.

THE NEWS OF THE GRANGES.

Waldo County Pomona will meet with Harvest Moon Grange, Thordike, Nov. 6th. E. S. Clifford of Winthrop will be present speaker of the day.

Seaside Grange held an interesting meeting last Monday evening and will meet in regular session next Monday evening. All members are requested to be present. The worthy lecturer has arranged for a volunteer program: quotations, readings and recitations.

Comet Grange, Swanville, held its regular meeting Monday evening, Oct. 29th. The topic discussed was Food Conservation. The President's appeal to the people on this issue, the bulletins and pamphlets sent by the Food Administration were read. The members were interested and earnest and only loyalty to the government was felt and expressed.

The Waldo County Clubs

Third Exhibition Its Best.

The third annual contest of the Waldo County Boys' and Girls' Agricultural and Canning Clubs was held in Memorial hall Oct. 26th and 27th with a large attendance and excellent exhibits in all branches. These exhibits were arranged the day before by N. S. Donahue, the County Agent, and would do credit to the same number of men and women. The canned goods was a newer feature and attracted a great deal of attention and admiration.

At 10 a. m., Friday, all the visitors met at the hall for registration and for the assignment of rooms to all who did not have friends in town.

Mrs. James H. Duncan of Seaport, Mrs. B. L. Aborn of Knox, Mrs. G. W. Miller of Brooks, Miss Ella Greeley of Liberty, Messrs. Chas. H. Howes of Liberty and Chester Eastman of Monroes, class leaders, were also present.

The convention is held under the auspices of the Belfast Board of Trade with Orrin J. Dickey and Ralph M. Southworth committee in charge. The Belfast Savings, Waldo Trust and City National Banks, have given \$200 for prizes again this year and have signified their intention of doing the same next year.

The afternoon session under the direction of Mr. Donahue opened at 1.30 o'clock with a vocal duet, The Blue Bird Song, by Misses Charlotte Knowlton and Helen Wescott, with Mrs. C. W. Wescott at the piano.

The address of welcome was by Morris L. Slugg, president of the Board of Trade. He told an interesting story of his recent visit to the exposition at Springfield and closed as follows:

"Boys and girls, the splendid progressive patriotic spirit, in which you have done your part for Waldo county and the world during the last summer is a most priceless heritage and in no part of this country is to be found a better example of it than in Waldo county. When the first Liberty Loan was made Waldo county took its allotment of \$300,000, when the appeal for the Red Cross was made Waldo county gave over \$14,000, that our brothers might have some of the comforts of home. We have just responded to the second Liberty Loan and we have again taken our allotment and more and all of this, your work, the taking of the Liberty Loan and the giving to the Red Cross is all inspired by the spirit of Liberty; for this spirit is so interlaced with our lives, it runs so wide and so deep that it rests upon with the very bedrock of our nation. It fills the air that we breathe with a fragrance so inspiring that it makes our pathway easier, our burdens lighter and our lives happier. It was planted by our forefathers, nourished by their bone and moistened by their blood and is now to be cared for by the hands of young America of which you are splendid representatives. The great desire of America is to see that the world may be made safe for Democracy. Boys and girls, we are proud of our Flag and our Country. We are proud of our State and our County. We are proud of the part that we are taking in the Liberty Loan and our gifts to the Red Cross, but above all Waldo county is proud of you; for of what use would Liberty Loans be, of what use for our sacrifices on the field of battle, of what use of our gifts to the Red Cross if we did not have you and thousands of other boys and girls in America for whom we wish a land of peace and prosperity in which you can live in the future. We know from the results of your efforts this summer that if we make the world safe for the spirit of American Liberty that you will keep it safe. Therefore, we are proud of you. We are proud to welcome you to Belfast, and while I am not clothed with the authority to present you, in a formal way, the keys of the city, I do have the great honor and to me a very impressive privilege, of extending to you the whole-hearted hospitality of every home in the city of Belfast."

The response was by Mr. Charles M. Howes of Liberty, a class leader in the County Club. He referred to the splendid address of Mr. Slugg and said they expected it, for Belfast had always been cordial and hospitable to the boys and girls of the county. He referred to the advantages of the youth of the present day over those when he was a boy, and closed with calling for a rising vote of thanks from all the boys and girls present.

The suggestion that the banks of Belfast give cash prizes to the Waldo County Clubs was by Mr. Howes at a Belfast Board of Trade banquet three years ago and now every county in Maine has a like benefit from their local banks.

The address of Prof. W. C. Monahan of the U. of M. was cancelled as he had accepted a position in Philadelphia.

Prof. Ralph P. Mitchell of the U. of M., a very essential factor in the Club life of the State, gave a heart to heart talk with the boys and girls, commending what they had accomplished and very gently criticizing for their own good some of the defects in the exhibits, particularly in canning.

The most pleasing and encouraging feature of the whole business end of the convention came Friday afternoon, when the chairman very unexpectedly called Fred McKinley, the 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McKinley of Jackson, to the platform to tell of his recent trip to Springfield, when he won the State championship in the pig judging contest. Under the conditions of this occasion Fred did credit not only to his Club and county but to Maine.

Then all adjourned to have their pictures taken in front of the hall and later go to school common for the potato race of the boys arranged in classes and won as follows: From 10 to 12 years, won by Raymond Deering of Brooks; from 12 to 14 years, by Merle Fogg of Brooks; from 14 to 16 years, by Roy Littlefield of Winterport; from 16 to 18 years, by Chester Eastman of Monroes.

The Belfast Boy Scouts had been delegated as aids in all branches of the convention and were allowed to enter the final race, in which Murray Keene won.

The tour of the city was made under the direction of Scout Master Orrin J. Dickey.

Friday evening was given up to the social features. Supper was served at 5.30 p. m. in the attractive little hall of Tarratine Tribe of Red Men with the ladies of the order catering. It was a sight all the mothers and fathers of Waldo county would have enjoyed. The tables were laden with an abundance of tempting food and distributed by willing waiters. The older people present including the toastmaster very graciously gave up their places at the table that the Club members and Scouts might be seated and waited until they had left for the Opera House, where they were guests of the management.

It is doubtful if there is another man in Waldo county so well adapted to amuse and at the same time give such sound advice to boys and girls as Mr. O. E. Frost of Belfast, who was toastmaster on this occasion. He also very aptly introduced Revs. Arthur E. Wilson, Walter T. Hawthorne, Charles W. Martin, Mr. Morris L. Slugg and Prof. Mitchell who spoke briefly and encouragingly to the boys and girls. Musical numbers were rendered by the Misses Lillian and Ethel Dexter on the piano and violin. Miss Katherine Kittredge also recited a poem.

The Saturday morning session opened at 9 o'clock with the singing of America led by Prof. Mitchell with Miss Cathleen Colcord at the piano.

Miss Alfreda Ellis of Belfast, the U. of M. leader of the Maine Canning Clubs, gave a brief and encouraging talk on "making the best better" in all their exhibits. She spoke of making a uniform appearance of jars, etc., told what and how to pack, and gave the points on which the exhibits are scored by the judges. She closed with an appeal for the boys to enter this branch of the work and explained that the motto of this club was the four words—heart, hand, head and health.

ers, Seaport, \$3; Frances M. Rogers, Seaport, \$2; Edith M. Parse, Seaport, \$1.

L. Garden Club.

Dorothy Spear, Belfast, \$1; Winifred Welch, Belfast, \$3; Christine Eames, Seaport, \$4; Mabel G. Smith, Belfast, \$3; Isabel Frame, Seaport, \$2; Mildred Hall, Brooks, \$1; Cathleen M. Colcord, Belfast, \$1; Jennie Spear, Belfast, \$1; Dorothy Spear, Belfast, \$1.

Poultry Club.

Mark Shibles, Knox Station, \$4; Irma Roberts, Brooks, \$2; Hattie McKinley, Brooks, \$2; Lloyd F. Bickford, Brooks, \$1; Eli Bucklin, Thordike, \$1; Jerome Quimby, Brooks, \$1; Ethel V. Jones, Brooks, \$1; Charles Stevens, Brooks, \$1; Merle Fogg, Brooks, \$1; Myrtle Simpson, Belfast, \$1; Cathleen Colcord, Belfast, \$1; Owen E. Miller, Brooks, \$1; Ada Sands, Brooks, \$1.

Canning Club.

Myrtle Simpson, Belfast, \$5; Doris McKinley, Brooks, \$4; Clara Edwards, Palermo, \$3; Evelyn E. Newall, Liberty, \$2; Ruth Leman, Liberty, \$1; Mabel G. Smith, Belfast, \$1; Violet Dexter, Belfast, \$1; Alma Woodbury, Thordike, \$1; Isabel Frame, Seaport, \$1; Mildred Hall, Brooks, \$1; Nina E. Dickey, Brooks, \$1; Stella Sellers, Belfast, \$1; Dorothy Spear, Belfast, \$1; Jennie Spear, Belfast, \$1; Frances Rogers, Seaport, \$1; Annie Rogers, Seaport, \$1; Christine Eames, Seaport, \$1; Ola Redman, Belfast, \$1; Edith M. Parse, Seaport, \$1; Alma Taylor, Jackson, \$1; Cathleen Colcord, Belfast, \$1; Lila Rabin, Thordike, \$1; Winifred A. Welch, Belfast, \$1.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. B. L. Aborn and Miss Cross of Knox were callers at The Journal office last Saturday.

Mrs. [Samuel H. Lord and Miss Isabel Cooper returned Monday from a few days' visit in Boston.

Mrs. Effie V. V. Knox has closed her summer residence in East Belfast and returned to her home in New York.

Mrs. James Randal, Mrs. Mabel R. MacWhirter and little daughter Evelyn left Saturday for a short visit in Boston.

Mrs. Walter S. Arey of Hallowell arrived last Thursday to visit her mother, Mrs. Mary W. Twombly, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt C. Brewster of Boston were guests over Sunday of Mrs. Brewster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Heal.

Mrs. Maud Sherman and Mrs. Mildred Kimball of Dark Harbor left last Thursday for Boston, where they will visit relatives.

Dean Knowlton, who has been employed in Lubec for the past summer, has returned home and will attend the Belfast High school, where he is a senior.

Mrs. Jerry E. Hayes and little daughter, Margaret Virginia, returned Tuesday from visits with relatives in Westwood, N. J., and in New York city.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles W. Martin and little son Morrill were called to Greenland, N. H., Monday by the death of Mrs. Martin's mother, Mrs. Milledge Berry.

Mrs. Minnie Ellis Lane has returned from New Hampshire, where she spent the summer and has taken apartments in the Banks' house on upper High street for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Darby left last Thursday for Boston. They will visit their son, Carl F. Darby, at Watertown, where he is in service guarding the Watertown arsenal.

Mrs. James H. Duncan and members of the Seaport Canning Club were welcome callers at The Journal office last Friday and were shown the mysteries of the editorial, composing and printing rooms.

Dr. and Mrs. Eugene L. Stevens returned from Portland last Saturday, making the trip in their car. Mrs. Stevens had been the guest for two weeks with her sister, Mrs. George F. Reynolds, and Dr. Stevens motored over the day before.

Capt. Chas. B. Hazeltine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hazeltine of this city, who has been stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, has recently been promoted to Major in the regular U. S. A. He is now at Camp McClellan, Aniston, Ala., in charge of the 104th Field Battalion.

A marriage of interest to Maine alumni and undergraduates is that of Nelson F. Mank, 17, Sigma Nu, of Portland, formerly of Belfast, to Miss Louise Night of Winthrop, Mass. Mr. Mank attended the first Plattsburg camp and is now a lieutenant of Infantry at Camp Devens.

The U. S. shipping board has appointed Capt. Ernest O. Patterson, formerly of Belfast, as resident inspector in charge of nine steamships now building by the Cumberland Shipbuilding Co. Capt. and Mrs. Patterson have been spending the past season at their summer home on Ambsbury hill, Rockport, and Capt. Patterson has now gone to Portland, but Mrs. Patterson will remain for a few days longer to close their home. Their many friends feel sorry to have them leave, as both will be greatly missed.

Mrs. C. A. Pillsbury, who is visiting relatives in Nova Scotia, says in a personal note: "Halifax is the most interesting place on this continent today. Its streets are swarming with soldiers and sailors. The women as well as the men are working for the war. The cousin with whom I visited has three sons at the front and one son a Lieut. Col. of Artillery in command at Halifax. Another cousin has four sons in France and one at home doing Red Cross work, and a daughter driving an ambulance car. The war is the only subject of conversation, yet everyone is cheerful and hopeful.

Sweet Corn.

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TAKE THE LOAN.

The following poem was written by Edward Everett Hale in 1861 when the first government war loan bonds were offered:

Come, freemen of the land,
Come, meet the great demand,
True heart and open hand,
Take the loan!

For the hopes the prophet saw,
For the swords your brothers draw,
For liberty and law,
Take the loan!

Ye ladies of the land,
As ye love the gallant band
Who have drawn a soldier's brand
Take the loan!

Who would bring them what she could,
Who would give the soldier food,
Who would stanch her brother's blood,
Take the loan!

All who saw our hosts pass by,
All who joined the parting cry,
All we bade them do or die,
Take the loan!

As ye wished their triumph then,
As ye hope to meet again,
And to meet their gaze like men,
Take the loan!

Who would press the great appeal
Of our ranks of serried steel,
Put your shoulder to the wheel,
Take the loan!

That our prayers in truth may rise,
Which we press with streaming eyes
On the lord of earth and skies,
Take the loan!

THE GERMAN AUTOCRACY.

The government of the German Empire is not only an autocracy but is at the same time a despotism, where the ruler is absolute and supreme. The foundation of this autocratic despotism was carefully planned many years ago. When the constitution was promulgated the German people had nothing whatever to do with making the supreme law under which they were to live, suffer, and millions of them to die by shot and shell. Their constitution was written by Bismarck and approved by the king of Prussia and some 20 or 25 subservient potentates who ruled the several lesser states or provinces of the empire. The people were not consulted nor were they informed concerning the text of the constitution thus dictatorially established. The next development of the autocratic machine was the Bundesrat. This body is made up of 61 members, and is spoken of as being the higher parliamentary house, the Reichstag being the lower house. Members of the Bundesrat are not elected, but are appointed by the king of Prussia and the potentates above mentioned, or their successors. Prussia has more than twice the territory and more than twice the population of all the other German States combined, and therefore appoints more than two-thirds of the members of the Bundesrat, and let it be remembered that the Kaiser makes the appointment of the Prussian members. His tools they are and have power to enact or veto as their master wills. All the meetings of the Bundesrat are held in secret and the people of the empire are informed of what they are allowed to know about these meetings by the issuing of an edict or a proclamation by the Kaiser.

Under the constitution the Emperor may declare war or make peace with the approval of the Bundesrat, but he is not required to consult that body if the war is defensive and he may determine whether it is offensive or defensive. In the present conflict he decided that Germany was on the defense and declared war. Three days later he condescended to inform the Bundesrat what he had done. The Reichstag, or lower house was designed to be and has been a parliamentary joke. It is powerless to do much more than to talk and pass resolutions, to which the real governing power pays little attention but it is sometimes consulted in levying taxes and making appropriations. The Reichstag was established in 1871 and is an elective body chosen by a suffrage of men more than 25 years old, and was created for the purpose of making the lower classes believe that they had some part in governing the country. For the purpose of establishing the supremacy of Prussia for all time in the affairs of the empire, Bismarck wrote into the constitution a provision that the voters of that most populous and dominant portion of the empire, should be divided into three classes, the noblemen, the rich men and the laborers. The latter were not to be allowed to vote by a printed ballot but only by "word of mouth" and in the presence of a nobleman, a landlord or an employer, and the vote of a nobleman or a rich man was given about 20 times the value in counting as was that of the laborer. Prussia elected two-thirds of members of the Reichstag and the Kaiser controlled the Prussian franchise. Thus was the "mailed fist" armored by Bismarck 45 years ago, and never once, till now, have the rivets of that armor been loosened. A short time

ago the Reichstag voted in favor of peace without annexations and without indemnities. The fact that the men who voted for this resolution still live, proclaims to the world that the "mailed fist" dares not strike. It proclaims that these men know that they do not stand alone, but that the embers of rebellion are smoldering in the hearts of an oppressed and suffering people and the Kaiser dare not fan those embers into flame by ordering their execution or imprisonment.

OUR NEXT IMPORTANT DUTY.

When Congress was in session it was often asserted that prices of food in England were lower than in the United States. This may have been true a few months ago but today butter is 10 cents higher there than here and the same can be said of cheese and almost every food product. Before the harvest of 1918 is available England and France will need much more wheat and much more of many other kinds of food from this country than we can supply if we maintain our usual or our present style of living. Mr. Hoover is not a victim of hysteria. He sees the situation as it is. The Allies are demonstrating that they can whip Germany if their soldiers are well fed and know that their folks back home are not famine stricken. Germany is slowly losing her power to fight because of the lack of that vigor and courage which food gives. We can, if we will fully meet the demands of the hour and of the next year by unanimously conserving. Our people have, by a wonderful outburst of patriotism raised a magnificent large Liberty Loan. This is to be used to raise, equip and train a large army, to build ships, make guns, munitions and planes and to loan to the Allies to assist them in purchasing what is necessary for carrying on a successful offensive. But money cannot buy food that has been eaten nor food that has been wasted, and without available food neither money, soldiers nor courage can bring us victory. Conservation caused by high prices is not enough, because

The Washington committee on public information has been camouflaged. Sometimes it looks like a gossip, sometimes it looks like a cave of secrets, and sometimes it looks like a fool.

Perhaps the President was right when he said "we are too proud to fight," but the situation has changed. We are going to fight with all the power we have, and besides that we are going to be ready to fight whenever it is necessary. We are going to have an Army that will compel respect, as strong a Navy as is in the world and a fleet of ships that will carry our products and our flag to the ends of the earth.

Mexico says that gold is to be the monetary basis of that country. We do not quite see where she expects to get the gold. Her credit is not good and her people are too lazy to dig it from her mines.

The recent successes of Gen. Haig and Gen. Petain suggest a winter campaign. We suspect that an American reserve is now just behind the fighting line ready to do their bit when needed.

LITTLE CUSTOMS REVENUE.

The Daily Treasury Statement for October 10th is suggestive. It shows ordinary receipts of \$1,849,000 and ordinary disbursements of \$1,771,000; and it shows that only \$104,000 of the receipts for the day were derived from customs duties. These figures are exceptional, of course; but they are indicative of the trend of the fiscal policy of the Democratic party. The custom houses now yield the smallest percentage of the national income that they have ever produced and the policy of the party in power is to render our tariff income negligible on the country's balance sheet. At the same time the direct taxes are being piled on thicker and thicker.

"The sweet remembrance of the just
Shall flourish when he sleeps in dust."

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high prices do not bring the necessary economy into the homes where conservation is not much practiced. But economy and self denial have now become every patriot's duty, immediately imperative and only second in importance to the Liberty Loan.

ENGLISH WOMEN IN FRANCE.

Several thousand English women have taken the place of men in the British camps in France. The Women's Auxiliary Army Corps has charge of the work of recruiting for this work. The need is for cooks, house and pantry maids and waitresses. The English view is that no soldier should be in a camp kitchen, because this is essentially women's work. The call is out for 10,000 volunteers for each month from now on. Applicants must be 18 years of age for service in training camps in England and 20 years for overseas duty. Those selected are examined by women doctors and are asked to sign for the duration of the war. Thousands of American women are ready for a similar call when Pershing says come.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

If we have any German sympathizers in Waldo county they are keeping discreetly quiet, and they should remain so. We have raised our share and more of the Liberty Loan and we now have a little leisure to devote to traitors.

The Kaiser says that this is a "dollar country." For once he is right and we are all ready to put our dollars into the fight against him. He says we are not good fighters. You wait Bill till our boys go "over the top" and make a break in your lines in France.

We note that two American aviators have been flying over the German lines and have each brought down one of the Kaiser's planes.

Chocolates sell slowly in Belfast just now, but we notice that our girls look just as sweet as ever.

Powdery Scab of Potatoes.

Soil, Temperature and Moisture are Limiting Factors.

A few years ago powdery scab was a very live topic with Maine potato growers and shippers as well as with growers in other States who depended upon Maine seed. Following the discovery of the disease in Maine in 1913 it became a subject of intensive study in this State both by the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station and the United States Department of Agriculture.

Powdery scab is now known to occur in Maine, New York, Minnesota, Washington and Oregon. A careful survey of the distribution of the disease has shown that in each of these States where it has been found it is confined entirely to those portions which have a relatively cool growing season, associated with abundant rainfall. An extensive series of experiments conducted by the Federal pathologists in 12 different eastern States from Massachusetts to Florida have shown quite conclusively that powdery scab will not develop under the climatic conditions which exist there.

In Maine it has appeared only in Aroostook and certain parts of Penobscot and Washington counties and there is very little reason to think that the infected area is likely to increase materially. In other words the probability of powdery scab ever becoming established in the dryer and warmer portions of the State of Maine, is slight. Moreover in Aroostook county, where the disease attained its greater development a few years ago, its prevalence is markedly influenced by seasonal climatic conditions.

The seasons of 1913 and 1914 furnished relatively large amounts of powdery scab but since that time the amount found in the Aroostook potato crop has declined to almost nothing. Undoubtedly some of this decline is of a temporary nature and due to climatic conditions of individual seasons, but there is reason to believe that the decrease can be made permanent to a greater or less extent, if present methods are followed.

Healthy potatoes for planting, and disinfection to prevent the introduction of disease by means of the seed tubers is more generally practiced than in the past. It has been shown that, even in northern Maine, severe outbreaks of powdery scab are restricted to the wet, poorly drained soils of a definite type and that the disease is seldom of much consequence in the best types of potato land.

CHAS. D. WOODS,
Director.

IN FRANCE.

There is a touch of deep pathos in a private letter's description of the discharged soldiers who are employed as hotel help in Paris. These men, says the letter, "go about their work wearing their medals and ribbons, but some of the poor fellows look pathetically weak and broken." Home-wounded, decorated, honored by the accolade of the highest in the land—but down now to answering calls in a hotel! Surely that is the anti-climax of life. But those medalled bell-boys are still doing their bit. If they can no longer front the enemy in the field of battle they can make France's guests comfortable in their inns. But to be waited on by one of those wounded and medalled veterans must be harder than to perform the service itself. It would be a little like having Joffre black one's boots; one would much rather it were Hindenburg.

Subsidized Flour.

Many people often wonder why flour, exported from this country to Great Britain can be purchased by the public there cheaper than it can be bought here. This has been more or less of a mystery ever since war began. But the explanation is simple. Lord Northcliffe, head of the permanent British mission here, speaking in Chicago recently, revealed the baffling secret. The English government subsidizes flour to the extent of \$200,000,000 (taken in taxes from the rich for the benefit of the poor,) so that it can actually be sold at less than it can be bought in Minneapolis.

Cold Ayer.

After inspecting the open-air heating system of Camp Devens, what does Secretary Baker think of a bonfire?

The men at Ayer can console themselves with the reflection that it is also a cold day for the Kaiser.—Boston Transcript.

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While rays of western sunshine flash back from burnished steel;
With eager eyes and cheeks aflame the serried ranks advance;
And your dear lad, and my dear lad, are on their way to France.

A sob clings choking in the throat, as file on file sweeps by,
Between those cheering multitudes, to where the great ships lie;
The batteries halt, the columns wheel, to clear-toned bugle call,
By shoulders squared and faces front they stand a khaki wall,
Tears shine on every watcher's cheek, love speaks in every glance;
For your dear lad, and my dear lad, are on their way to France.

Before them, through a mist of years, in soldier buff or blue,
Brave comrades from a thousand fields watch now in proud review,
The same old flag, the same old faith—the Freedom of the World—
Spells Duty in those flapping folds above long ranks unfurled;
Strong are the hearts which bear along Democracy's advance,
As your dear lad, and my dear lad, go on their way to France.

The word rings out: a million feet tramp forward on the road,
Along that path of sacrifice o'er which their fathers strode,
With eager eyes and cheeks aflame, with cheers on smiling lips,
These fighting men of '17 move onward to their ships,
Nor even love may hold them back, or halt that stern advance,
As your dear lad, and my dear lad, go on their way to France.

—Randall Parrish, in the Chicago Tribune

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ONE OF GERMANY'S BEST FRIENDS

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How much free speech will be left in territories that Russian Socialism is going to hand over to Germany? Socialism demanded the abolition of the death penalty in the Russian army. These Socialists will discover that the death penalty was not abolished in the Russian territories conquered by Germany. The conqueror will allow his Socialistic agents to choose whether they will be hanged or whether they will stop talking. The alternatives of death or silence represent the only choice that a German agent will offer to Socialists in Russia. Toronto Telegram.

THOMAS A. EDISON.

This great inventor is 70 years old and has returned from spending 10 weeks at sea striving to find means of detecting submarines. Sometimes his assumptions during the voyage have complained Mr. Edison's reply has been: "You understand it if I can." Here is a part of a message which this patriot sent out America when he landed.

One hundred and forty-one years ago our forefathers fought for less than we are fighting for today.

We have made heroes of the men who fought to make this country free, and we have branded as cowards and traitors the men who refused to fight. Posterity will pass similar judgment on the men and women who do not do their duty now, and who are creating a heritage of shame for their children and their children's children.

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READY FOR STORMY SEAS.

American Destroyers and Men in the War Zone Equipped for Sleet Gales.

Base American Flotilla in British Waters, Oct. 8. (Correspondence of the Associated Press)—All American destroyers and men are now prepared for the winter. Both have been equipped for the cold days ahead. The issue of winter clothing to the men has taken place and the fast little ships have been thoroughly overhauled and have had several "gadgets" added to their equipment, such as gun-shields for the men operating the guns, non-breakable glass windows for the bridges, more crows' nests and extra life-rails.

Thanks to the busy women at home who knit, many of the men have been provided with excellent sweaters, jerseys and socks. Now, however, an entirely new issue of extra heavy garments, designed by the British from their long experience on torpedo boats in the terrible weather off this coast, has been made. Here are some of the things, which when donned, will make the men look more like Arctic explorers than bluejackets.

Helmet made of wool and covering all but the eyes, nose and mouth, light coat sweaters, jerseys and cardigan jackets, knitted mittens and gloves, extra heavy coarse underclothing, light weight woolen socks and knee length knitted stockings, besides heavy thick woolen socks for boots; leather sea boots; wind-proof khaki-colored trousers; great coats lined with lamb's wool and knitted mufflers.

Over this clothing officers and men will continue to wear their kakoi life jackets made in vest form. These vests, in addition to their life-saving properties, are very warm. Pillows and mattresses on board their ships are made of the same material. The men also had oilskins when they came over.

The men face the coming hardships cheerfully. All they ask is that the folks back home do not forget them while they are facing the perils of fighting the submarine under the vasty new conditions of winter. Few of them have cruised in the gales that are peculiar to this coast, when sleet squalls are hourly affairs.

WHAT OF THE FUTURE?

There is much real food for thought in the official figures of the imports into this country from abroad for the past fiscal year. They have just been issued, and they carry a warning that should appeal even to the framers of the present tariff law as to what the future has in store. Goods to the amount of over two and a half billions of dollars came to American ports during the year that ended with the first of July. This is a value higher by half a billion than that of the preceding year. It is greater by over eight hundred millions than that of the fiscal year of 1915, the last year under the Republican tariff.

But with all this increase the customs revenues are dwindling rather than increasing. The year 1915 gave customs revenues of \$318,000,000; the similar receipts for the past year were only \$226,000,000. In other words, while the imports have increased forty-six per cent over the 1915 year, the revenue from them collected at the custom houses decreased thirty per cent. That measures the difference between the Republican and the Democratic tariff laws. Had the same rates of duty been in effect during the past year as were in the year 1915, ports have received forty-six per cent more of \$465,000,000, or over twice the amount that we did receive.

What will happen when industrial Europe is itself again and sends here not the less than a quarter which she did last year, but nearly half of our total imports, as she did before the war, and will be ready to do again?—Philadelphia Press.

HERE MAINE LEADS.

The following shows what our State is doing in her canneries:

Total number of cases of sardines packed in the United States in 1914 5,012,199

Total number of cases of sardines packed in the State of Maine in 1914 4,634,424

Total number of cases of blueberries packed in the United States in 1914 151,683

Total number of cases of blueberries packed in the State of Maine in 1914 116,001

Total number of cases of clams packed in the United States in 1914 185,186

Total number of cases of clams packed in the State of Maine in 1914 94,818

Total number of cases of clam chowder packed in the United States in 1914 102,888

Total number of cases of clam chowder packed in the State of Maine in 1914 68,771

While not leading in the production and packing of corn, it is unnecessary to state that the quality of the Maine product makes up for the inability to show championship figures for production; we are, however, nearly at the top of the list, with a pack of 1,101,333 cases.

MYSTIFYING MILLIONS.

Puzzling at First, but It Was Really a Very Simple Matter.

A number of years ago, when the names of subscribers to the then recently issued 3 per cent bonds were being sent in to Washington, one subscription was received from Oregon, which the authorities supposed to be signed with an assumed name, Ten Million. A curt note was sent to the address given, stating that bonds could be registered in real names only.

A prompt reply came from Mr. Million, written upon paper bearing the letterhead of the firm of Million & Million. He explained that he was born a Million and was the tenth and youngest child of the family. His father and mother, never being able to agree upon Christian names that suited the taste of both, had allowed their children to be designated by numbers, which with the passage of time had become their only rightful and legal names. His brother, Mr. Seven, was his partner in business.

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—Youth's Companion.

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FOUR WEEKS IN HOSPITAL

No Relief—Mrs. Brown Finally Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Cleveland, Ohio.—"For years I suffered so sometimes it seemed as though I could not stand it any longer. It was all in my lower organs. At times I could hardly walk, for if I stepped on a little stone I would almost faint. One day I did faint and my husband was sent for and the doctor came. I was taken to the hospital and stayed four weeks but when I came home I would faint just the same and had the same pains."

A friend who is a nurse asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I began taking it that very day for I was suffering a great deal. It has already done me more good than the hospital. To anyone who is suffering as I was my advice is to stop in the first drug-store and get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before you go home."

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The News of Belfast.

Chester E. Perkins will very soon have an up-to-date gasoline tank installed at his store at Bayside, Northport.

The Ladies Aid of the Universalist church will meet this, Thursday, afternoon at 2.30 with Mrs. F. H. Mayo, Northport avenue.

Mrs. George E. Coombs has been confined to her home the past week from injuries received from a fall down stairs. She is now about the house as usual.

Misses Lytle Townsend, Lillian and Martha Knowlton will leave in a few weeks for Beverly, Mass., where they will take a course in the Training School for Nurses.

Mrs. Sarah J. Knight is substituting at the McLellan school for Miss Charlotte Staples, who is detained at home on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. P. S. Staples of East Belfast.

Corporal Dana B. Southworth of the 21st Company, Maine Coast Artillery arrived Monday night on a 72-hour visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph D. Southworth. His company is at present holding the arsenal at Watertown, Mass.

Miss Mima M. Valentine, superintendent of the Waldo County Hospital, received a cablegram Monday evening announcing the death of her brother, Adam Valentine, who was killed in action. He was in Montrose, Scotland. Another sister, Mrs. James Anislie of Fort Fairfield, formerly of Seaside, survives.

The November meeting of John Cochran Chapter, D. A. R., will be held next Monday with Mrs. Cora J. Bowker, church street. Mrs. Elita P. Savory will be assistant hostess. The roll-call will be answered with anecdotes of Belfast's early settlers. A paper on John Mitchell will be presented by Miss Alice E. Simmons. A reading—"The Green Indian War"—by John Dolloff will be given by Mrs. Bowker.

Miss Mildred Black gave a Halloween party last Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 3.30 at her home in High street. An enjoyable afternoon was spent in playing games. At 4 o'clock the guests were invited to the dining room where a dainty lunch was served by the mother of the hostess, Mrs. Annie L. Black. The guests present were Violet Dexter, Katherine Post, Violet Piper, Ruth Partridge, Dorcas Chamberlain, Winifred Welch and Annie Spear.

The Women's Alliance of the First Parish, Unitarian, will meet at the home of Mrs. William B. Swan, High street, this Thursday, afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Frank L. Phalen of Waterville will give an address on "The Aims, Work, and Patriotism of our Unitarian Women." This is Mrs. Phalen's first visit to the Belfast Alliance, as she has recently been elected director for this section of Maine, and it is hoped the meeting will be largely attended. A social invitation is extended to all the women of the parish.

George Wilmont Dwyer of Frankfort has been certified for military service to the local board from the district board.

On Friday evening, Nov. 9th, the Baptist Society will give a Costume Party at the church vestry where many queer, quaint and beautiful costumes will be shown. Domino masks will be worn for a short time in connection with a guessing contest. A mixed program will be given, arranged by Mrs. Cleora Read and Miss Isabel Ginn. Old fashioned games will be played and forfeits paid. You are invited to be present in costume or as a spectator. Admission 25 cents.

Mr. H. L. Woodcock of this city will give a public exhibition of about 25 of his recent paintings of scenes in the Bahamas at the Bangor Public Library from Nov. 19th to the 26th. Belfast friends of Mr. Woodcock have wished that he might exhibit in Belfast, but are pleased that he is now to exhibit so near as Bangor.

Miss M. V. Parker, teacher in the Belfast High school, recently received a letter from John Durham who is in the St. John Military school in Manlius, N. Y., stating that Keith Weymouth, B. H. S., '17, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Weymouth of Belfast, had received an average rank of 93 at that school, the second highest in the school. John also said he was pleased with his own rank, a very good average.

The pupils of Miss Amy E. Stoddard will give the second of a series of monthly recitals at her studio, 68 Church street, Thursday afternoon, Nov. 1st. Miss Stoddard will have two pianos in her studio this winter, to give her pupils the benefit of eight-hand playing. Program: Piano Trio, Mack Ruth Knight, Hope Dorman, Beulah Young.

Salut d'Amour, Elgar
Hungarian Rhapsody, Brahms
Au Matin, Marguerite Owen
Intermezzo from "Cavalleria Rusticana," Mascagni

Lillian Davis and Miss Stoddard
Under the Leaves, Thome
Narcissus, Ada Curtis
Slumber Song, Ruth Knight
Duet, Hope Dorman
Bernice Armstrong and Nellie Brewster
In Twilight, Ganschals
The Royal Hunt, Velma Rogers
Minuet in G, Ira Wade
Ruth Knight and Hope Dorman
Happy Harvesters, Roe
Doris Wilson
The Chimes of the Monastery, Crammond
Nellie Brewster
Dance on the Green, Fern Orchard
Christmas-time, Behr
Melodie, Marvel Orchard
John Vickery
The First Rose Waltz, Mahlon Curtis
Duet, Ellen Chapman and Miss Stoddard
Irish Song, Eileen Fernald
Minuet from "Military Symphony," Haydn
Paul Tuttle

Martin Wilcox and family have moved here from Masardis.

There will be a social dance given by the Golden Cross in Red Men's hall this, Thursday, evening.

The next meeting of Seaside Chautauqua Circle will be held at the Peirce school building Monday afternoon, Nov. 5th. Roll-call, current events from the Independent of Nov. 3rd. Lesson from the C. L. S. C. book, "Life in Ancient Athens," chapters eleven and twelve. The last portrays the festivals and theaters as they were conducted at that time.

The regular meeting of the Belfast Board of Trade will be held at the Court House tomorrow, Friday, evening and it is desired that the good attendance which has characterized the meetings of the past two months shall be repeated. A nominating committee will be appointed to select a board of officers for election at the regular meeting in December. There will be a report in regard to the work being done for the locating of another sardine factory in the city and a number of other important matters which should interest every member.

Mrs. Essie P. Carle, who has charge of the making of the comfort bags for the Red Cross Christmas gifts, devoted her store window yesterday and today, Thursday, for a display of the materials, articles used and the finished bag. All interested are urged to furnish materials and to meet at the Red Cross room Friday afternoon which will be devoted exclusively to the work. The committee in charge of the Red Cross room are in need of a coal stove and would greatly appreciate the favor if anyone would donate a suitably large stove to heat the room.

A little son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mack of Seaside had a very narrow escape from drowning recently. He with other children were playing in the open cellar of Mrs. Lucy Bean's house, when he climbed upon the cistern and fell through the wire screen which covered the open space. Mr. Lamb, who was storing apples, hearing an outcry, rushed to the rescue and jumped into the cistern, where the child had sunk in five feet of water, and brought up the apparently lifeless body. Dr. Kinghorn was away, but his wife, who is a trained nurse, succeeded in resuscitating the child.

The work of receiving pledges of co-operation in the food conservation movement began in earnest Monday under the direction of Mr. O. E. Frost, chairman, and Mrs. Clement W. Westcott, vice chairman. Monday 1653 cards were signed and only one or two refusals noted. In one instance the card was found that if people signed the card and did not live up to it the government would fine them. Such an idea would do credit only to a German or a German sympathizer. If you have not received a card, please notify the chairman or vice chairman of your district, but be sure to go on record in this American movement. The work will be continued for the remainder of this week to reach as many as possible of the 6,000 families in the county.

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The Most Artistic Photoplay Ever Produced.

TUESDAY ONLY
WILLIAM FARNUM in
"The Price of Silence"
—A Fox Super-De-Luxe Feature—

WEDNESDAY ONLY
DAINTY MADGE EVANS
IN
"The Little Duchess"

The Woman's Hospital Aid will meet tomorrow, Friday, with Mrs. Everard A. Wilson at 2.30 p. m.

Chester Robbins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Robbins, one of Belfast's drafted men at Ayer, Mass., now driver of the officers' private car, has been at home on a short vacation. He returned to Ayer last Monday.

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE. The October meeting of the school committee was held last Monday evening. Several of the primary grade teachers were present to ask for an increase in salary. The committee thought favorably of the request but deferred action on it until after they ascertain the amount of the State appropriation. Edgar E. Smith was present in regard to his contract of transporting pupils from his district to the city schools, but no action was taken in the matter. It was voted to renew the insurance policies on the Peirce school Nov. 3rd. The resignation of Mrs. Helen Rockwood, teacher in Grade 7, class B, was accepted as she is soon to leave for Temple, N. H. Miss Erma M. Barker of Brooks, a graduate of the Belfast High school who has had several years' experience at teaching in Brooks, was elected to fill the vacancy.

Two Belfast Boy Scouts are deserving of a great deal of credit in the work of the Liberty Loan in the past week's campaign and they are the winners of two medals for which they have good reason to be proud. The boys are Scouts Rudolph Cassens and Luville Wood. The Treasury Department of the United States recently offered to any Scout who would sell ten Liberty Bonds within the dates of last week an honor medal of bronze. The medal is suspended from a red, white and blue ribbon, and bears on the face an image of Liberty Enlightening the World in the center and on either side are seals of the Boy Scouts and the Treasury Department of the United States. Near the lower margin are stars with rays reflecting upward and the motto, "Every Scout to Save a Soldier." Near the top are the words "War Service." The back of the medal bears the inscription, "Presented on Behalf of the U. S. Treasury Department, for Service in the Liberty Loan Campaign, Boy Scouts of America, October, 1917." Scout Cassens is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cassens of Northport avenue and Scout Wood is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Wood of this city.

COLONIAL THEATRE. To-day, matinee or evening, will be the only opportunity to witness the special Metro production, "The Slacker," featuring wonderful Emily Stevens, "The Slacker" is American patriotism crystallized and put into a picture. It shows the struggles, hopes, fears, joys and sorrows of those who go to war and those who stay behind. You will be a better American after seeing "The Slacker." Friday, matinee and evening, a big double program, two five reel features. Robert Warwick in a powerful drama, "Human Driftwood," and June Caprice, the sunshine girl in "A Child of the Wild" will be the attractions. Come early. Saturday, matinee and evening, popular Anita Stewart will head the program in a Blue Ribbon six reel feature, "The Combat," also little Bobby Connelly in his latest. Monday, matinee and evening, the supreme star, Elsie Ferguson, makes her motion picture debut in the most artistic play ever produced, "Barbary Sheep." This is adapted from the famous novel, a tale of picturesque Algeria. Tuesday, matinee and evening, William Farnum, who will be remembered as the star of "The Spoilers" is offered in a stirring six reel Fox super-de-luxe feature, "The Price of Silence." Wednesday, matinee and evening, the child star is offered in the Brady-made play, "The Little Duchess." Remember, Thursday, November 1st, the war tax, two cents on a 15 cent admission and one cent on a 10 cent admission goes into effect.

Mrs. Vina Philbrick of East Belfast had a severe hemorrhage of the lungs recently, but is now improving.

Perley Haynes of Belfast, a member of Battery F, First Maine Heavy Artillery, now at Westfield, has been promoted to corporal.

A stated meeting of Timothy Chase Lodge, F. & A. M., will be held this, Thursday, evening for work in the Fellowship and Master Mason degrees.

ADVERTISED LETTERS. The following letters remained uncalled for in the Belfast post office for the week ending Oct. 30, 1917: Ladies—Miss Allimae Wing; gentlemen, Mr. Lurie Burke, Enoch Smith, Mr. I. W. Williams.

Elmer and Gladys Keene, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Keene, were given a surprise party last Saturday evening. There was a large number of friends present and a pleasant evening reported. Mrs. Keene was assisted in serving refreshments by Miss Elena Philbrick. Mrs. Keene and children left last Tuesday for Auburn, where they will make their home and where Mr. Keene has been employed for some time.

POOR'S MILLS. Miss Annie J. Guynne of Hallowell will speak at the hall next Sunday afternoon in place of Rev. Nathan Hunt who is away on a vacation. Mrs. Mina Jackson of Sanford visited friends here the first of the week. Mrs. Lucy Jackson returned home with her to spend the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Fowles of Whitefield and Mrs. Wright of Newport, Vermont, were guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sheldon. Mrs. Luella Brown went to Montville Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Volney Thompson. Mrs. Annabell Underwood went to Fayette last week to visit friends, returning home Monday. Twelve went from here Saturday and spent the evening with Rev. and Mrs. Nathan Hunt in Morrill. Mrs. Jellus and son of Waterville were guests of Mrs. J. F. Sheldon Monday. Apple packers are in this vicinity putting up apples.

WEST BELFAST. Equity Grange met Oct. 27th with a good attendance. A nice program was prepared by the lecturer, which was enjoyed by all. The many friends of Mrs. Abbie Toothaker are glad to hear that she is gaining after a serious operation at the Tapley Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ames, daughter Eunice, and Mrs. Geo. A. Lakie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Toothaker. Mrs. Charles Simmons and Mrs. Ralph Hayford attended the recent Teachers' Convention in Bangor. Fred Toothaker is making cider with a new hydraulic press which he installed this fall. Howard Newcomb, only son of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Newcomb, who is with the 21st Co. C. A. C., now at Watertown, Mass., writes that he likes very much and expects to be home on a short furlough soon. Miss Lytle Townsend spent the weekend with Miss Sabra B. Dyer at her home on Belmont avenue.

A SOUTHWEST GALE. A wild gale accompanied by heavy downpours of rain in showers visited this section Tuesday afternoon and evening. There was no damage reported along the shore front, but the tides were unusually high. The railing of the lower bridge was blown off and a little lad with an umbrella came dangerously near going into the river. Shade trees were destroyed at the residences of Charles E. Owen, Ralph C. Johnson, Morris L. Slugg and Mrs. John W. Jones. From every section come reports of injury to fruit trees, etc. A chimney on the block on Main street occupied by Harding & Rackliff fell to the street and injured their gasoline tank. The barn on the stock farm, so-called, and the roof of the hen house on the Snow farm in East Belfast were injured. Wednesday morning dawned with clear skies and bright sun—one of the best of our many good fall days.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. They have organized an aluminum club at the store of Fred D. Jones, which by joining one may get a set of aluminum ware at the low price of \$9.98. See advt. for description and illustrations of the different pieces. B. O. Norton, Belfast, carries the Ford, "The Universal Car," which is becoming a necessity in these days of economy. See prices for different styles of Fords which he has quoted in his advt. The Penobscot Bay Electric Co. is advertising the electric heating pad which provides a really effective "Hot Application." See statements of condition of the Belfast Savings Bank and the Stockton Springs Trust Company. Twelve first-class blacksmiths and a good tool dresser wanted at Bath, Maine. A capable woman wanted at No. 14 High street to do general housework. Leon E. Blake of Seasideport forbids all persons to charge any bills to his account contracted by his wife, Margaret S. Blake. See notice of the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Waldo Trust Co. at their banking rooms Tuesday, Nov. 20th, at 10 a. m. Fred D. Jones will have a clean-up sale at his store next Saturday, all day and evening. This sale is given because he needs the room. See advt. of bargains in millinery of Mrs. Elizabeth Shaw, Phenix Row.

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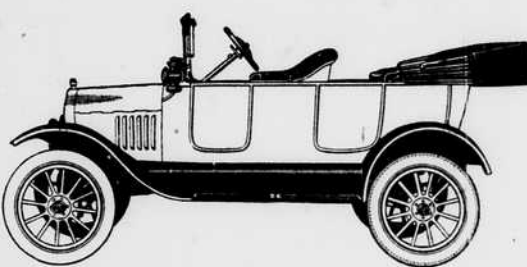
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FRIDAY MORNING

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AT

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PERSONAL.

Herbert H. Collins left last Saturday for Boston where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. H. Carter have returned from visits in Rockland and Camden.

Mr. Clayton E. Hall of Brooks spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. H. O. Brier.

Miss Edna Curtis, B. H. S. '17, who is teaching school at Orland, spent Sunday at her home in this city.

Leslie F. Payson, manager of the Belfast Farmers' Union store, left yesterday on a business trip to Boston. He was accompanied by Mrs. Payson.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Lakie of Haverhill, Mass., were recent guests of Belfast relatives while on their way to Atlanta, Ga., where they will spend the winter.

Donald Hall who learned the jeweller's trade with Wm. M. Thayer with whom he has worked several years, but more recently employed by the Read Garage Co., will soon enter the employ of H. J. Locke & Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Dickey of Northport have received a letter from their son, Walter, who is in the Navy, stating that he has been promoted to the position of operator in the dynamo room at the naval training station, at Newport, R. I. He was formerly on the Kearsarge.

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Brackett of Belfast who has been the corresponding secretary for Waldo county on the Board of State Charities and Corrections since its organization in 1907, resigned at the recent annual meeting and Mrs. Orlando E. Frost of Belfast was elected to fill the vacancy.

BROOKS.

Mrs. H. C. Jenkins was in Belfast, Saturday.

Mrs. P. H. Grant was in Bangor Thursday of last week.

E. A. Carpenter is in Aroostook county for a few weeks.

Mr. C. E. Hamlin is at work as clerk for A. E. Chase Co.

F. H. Brown was a business caller in Lewiston last week.

Brooks has bought about \$20,000 worth of 2nd Liberty Bonds.

W. H. Jones and E. S. Moulton are at work in Ellis' saw mill.

Mrs. Annie Thompson of Belfast is visiting at Mrs. H. H. Webb's.

Eben Miller has returned to his work as engineer on the C. P. R. R.

M. L. Frost is at work for Chase & Varney Co. in the clothing store.

Miss Beulah Cook visited Miss Vera

Patterson of Thorndike Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Nealey of Monroe visited their aunt, Mrs. Hattie Robinson, Sunday.

Prin. W. W. Wildes attended the Boys Agricultural Club meeting in Belfast last Saturday.

The Brooks Boys' Agricultural Club won about \$25 in prizes at the Club meeting in Belfast.

Miss Mary Murphy who has employment in Knox, spent the week-end with her uncle, H. H. Webb.

Fred McKinley and sister Doris of Jackson and students in B. H. S. have rented rooms in F. K. Roberts new house.

Mrs. Grace Dow Bacheider returned last week from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Earle Bessey, in Zanesville, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Grant and children and Miss Ethel Cochran autoed to Waterville Sunday. Miss Christine Jones returned with them.

The Red Cross Auxiliary of Brooks wish to thank those who so kindly contributed \$32.30 for the purchase of Christmas bags for our boys at war and in camp.

JACKSON.

Miss Grace Bacheider is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. S. Morton.

Howard B. Ham of Fairfield visited his daughter, Mrs. Asa Jones, last week.

Inez Kelsey of Knox is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Chase.

Harold Morton and Herbert Hadley left Monday for Ayer, Mass., to do carpenter's work.

Miss Pearl Chase, who is teaching school in Glenburn, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Chase.

Gordon C. Foster has had a crew packing apples in this neighborhood for the past week. Herbert Chase had one hundred and thirty barrels of Baldwins, besides selling a lot which went to the canning factory.

The following boys and girls of Jackson Agricultural Club attended the county meeting in Belfast, Oct. 26th and 27th: Alma and Alva Taylor, Irma, Vera and Millard Roberts, Burton Gould, Charlie Stevens, Lloyd Bickford, Hattie, Doris and Fred McKinley.

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Come to our store and ask for a Club membership card—pay 48 cents cash, and we will deliver the set described below. Then you will pay 50 cents each week for 19 weeks until \$9.98, the total wholesale Club price of this set is paid. The regular retail value of a set like this is about \$16.00.

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- One 6 quart Preserving Kettle " " E)
- One 1 quart Sauce Pan " " A)
- One 1 1-2 quart Sauce Pan " " B)
- One 2 quart Sauce Pan " " C)
- One Set: Carving Knife, Butcher Knife, Paring Knife " " O)
- One "Pride of the Kitchen" " " H-I-J)

*Note: This outfit consists of a large 6 quart kettle and cover (illustration H), a two quart Pudding Pan (illustration D), and a two quart Colander or Strainer (illustration J). By combining these three utensils you will have a splendid Double Boiler (illustration K), a Pot Roaster (illustration L), a Steam Cooker (illustration M), or a covered Casserole (illustration N), and many other different combinations can be made.

F. D. JONES'
Department Store,
Belfast, Maine.

ALL SORTS

A Big Cargo of Wool.

An Atlantic port, Oct. 22. A sailing vessel brought a cargo of wool from South Africa valued at more than a million dollars to this port Sunday. The vessel was nearly a week overdue.

Will Help a Little.

One of the largest Boston sugar refineries is converting into the market product more than seven million pounds of sugar. An official of the plant said that one-fourth of their customary output would go to retailers. The entire amount will be available soon.

The World's Wealth.

Sam possesses one-fifth of all the world's wealth. His possessions are more than those of France and Germany combined, five billions more than the entire wealth of the United Kingdom, and more than the combined wealth of Russia, and fifteen times that of the whole Australian continent.

Gather Them In.

Fredrick Kraft of Ridgefield, N. J., a socialist, and at one time a candidate for governor of New Jersey on the Socialist ticket, has been sentenced to five years in Federal prison at Atlanta, and a fine of \$1,000. He was convicted of having violated the espionage act by attempting to cause insubordination among soldiers and sailors of the United States in a speech delivered at Newark, which he criticized this government for participating in the war and questioning its right to send its soldiers to France.

Over Seven Pounds in Box For Soldiers.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23. Christmas gifts and other gifts from home for American soldiers in France must be limited to parcels of not more than seven pounds each. The post office department today announced that it had been informed by the American postal authorities in France that under the agreements with the French railways the postal service is unable to carry parcels post packages in excess of seven pounds.

German Money Well Invested.

Thousands of dollars, belonging to heirs of many of Buffalo people who have since the war was declared, has been invested in Liberty Bonds by Public Administrator White on an order issued by Judge Hart. The money has been invested during the period of the war with many because the "trading with the enemy" act forbids the forwarding of money belonging to subjects of a national enemy with the United States until peace is declared.

A Sane Democrat.

Senator Gallivan is a loyal Democrat, as well as a loyal American and his opinion of the Washington policy and conduct of the war department will be improved in many thousands of homes. He says: "For the life of me I cannot fathom the Washington policy of lying under cover routine news, the kind of news that comes close to the hearts and the hearts of the people, who are called on to support the war with enthusiasm and enthusiasm. No such policy prevailed in Canada where the safety of troops at their European destinations has promptly been made public in newspapers."

California Oranges.

This year the above State raised 60,000 loads of oranges, an increase of 25 per cent over last year. The value of the crop was \$60,000,000, the growers received a dozen which gave them \$24, \$10,000 for the crop. The transportation companies and the California Fruit Growers exchange got 12 cents a dozen which gave them \$36,000,000.

That Trump Card.

According to Sir George H. Reid, once minister of Australia, Bismarck said some time before he died, speaking of William. "He will play it at the wrong time. He will ruin his country." "Prince Bismarck said that to Sir William Rich-ard, the eminent painter," says Sir George, "who related it to me, stating that Bismarck had authorized him to publish it after his death." It looks as if the prophecy were about to be fulfilled.

Shoulder Arms.

A writer in a Boston newspaper, taking issue with the cudgels in the ordnance department for its failure to provide rifles for the American troops, says: "There will be rifles aplenty before the war is over." This is probably the truth, for the reason that the boys will not be sent across until they are armed with rifles. Meanwhile, what is the use of drilling with rifles, when the sticks will serve!—Bideford Journal.

Shoot the Way You Shout.

After Col. Theodore Roosevelt had delivered a stirring address at a Liberty gathering at Oyster Bay, emphasizing the duties of the citizen to his country in the war, the audience subscribed for \$50,000 to the Liberty Loan.

Some fools have asked "Why should the boys fight abroad?" Colonel Roosevelt said: "Then pausing for a moment, he said: 'Our boys are fighting abroad with the knowledge that they will not be fighting without allies. No man should wave a flag, sing a patriotic song or utter unless he is willing to help out. He should shoot the way he shouts.'"

Apply the Rod.

A kicking administered to Germany, a true, is the only solution of the problem of permanent peace. Unless we are prepared to wage a war to the succeeding generation we will not stop until we have achieved victory.—Post Press.

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10. Rheumatism, Lumbago...
11. Fever and Ague, Malaria...
12. Piles, Hemorrhoids, Internal External...
13. Catarrh, Inflammation, Cold in Head...
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EATING THINGS

HE DIDN'T DARE
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South Brewer Man Tells How Tanlac Ended His Stomach Trouble.

"I am now eating things that I didn't dare to touch for years and my stomach is not bothering me at all," declared Austin L. Homer of 20 Stone street, South Brewer, a well known mechanic.

"For a long time," Mr. Homer explained, "I used to have heartburn, gas and bloating after my meals. My food did not digest, but soured and lay like a lump in my stomach.

"Just the things I liked most I would not dare touch because I knew how I would suffer and there were a lot of things I could not eat.

"I saw and heard so much about what Tanlac was doing for other people who were run down from stomach trouble that I decided I had better try a medicine that was so well recommended. I took two bottles and at the end of it I didn't even have heartburn.

"My stomach did not trouble me at all. I ate what I wanted and began to build right up."

Tanlac is the reconstructive system purifier and stomach tonic designed to bring about real digestion and tone up the stomach to allow you to eat the variety of good, wholesome foods needed to build strength naturally through blood and tissues.

Tanlac is being specially introduced in Belfast at the City Drug Store. Tanlac agents in nearby towns are: A. R. Pilley, Brooks; Ames Co., Stockton Springs; L. C. Dow & Co., Prospect.

HOW A DOG OUTWITTED THE GERMANS.

If you place the tip of your finger on a map of the world, and run it along the Equator, writes "An Australian Officer," in the November Wide World, you will discover the island of Nauru. This point of an island is perhaps the richest spot on earth, being composed almost entirely of phosphate, of which it is said there is nine hundred and fifty million dollars' worth actually in sight. Prior to the war the Germans had erected an immense high-power wireless station on this island, the lofty mast of which is visible a couple of hours before one sights the land from a steamer.

Very soon after the struggle commenced the British authorities "rushed" the place in order to silence the voice of the great station. On the near approach of our warships the Huns in charge tried to render the station useless to us by hiding all the essential parts in a big cave, the existence of which was unknown to anyone but themselves.

When the station had been thoroughly dismantled, and all parts stowed away in their subterranean hiding-place, the mouth of the cave was closed and hidden with rubbish.

Alas for the Germans! An old black dog was an interested onlooker during certain phases of the concealment, and the old saying that "for want of a nail a shoe was lost" might be re-written to read "for want of a bullet a radio-plant was found." When our men seized the place, they found that the working parts of the precious "wireless" were missing, and started a careful search for them. The dog, like the Vicar of Bray, joined the side of the victorious party, and led our boys to the concealed mouth of the cave, where she commenced to dig vigorously. There were cute fellows looking on, and the excited animal was soon assisted by a band of helpers who were missing nothing. They soon made the earth and rocks fly, uncovered the cave—big enough to hold a platoon—and, to their huge delight, located the missing parts. As a result, in a few hours more we were in communication with British warships, and the Pacific knew the Hun no more.

SUPPLANT GERMAN TOYS.

American Made, Joint-Limb Dolls Now Equal to Best Ever Imported.

The American toy manufacturers have applied new energies since the war began and many articles which were formerly of German manufacture are being turned out in America; in fact, the toy manufacturers are winning achievements that they formerly considered beyond their reach. They have become more inventive, and some of their new creations are decidedly unique and interesting. The celebrated joint-limb dolls, which have won the hearts of millions of American children, and which were formerly exclusive products of Germany, are now for the first time being placed on the market by an American manufacturing company. It is true the details of manufacture are under the supervision of men who were identified with the industry in Germany, but it is American enterprise and capital that have effected arrangements whereby this country can now minister to the wants of the hosts of little girls who believe that the joint-limb doll is a gift from heaven.

Dealers who have seen the company's product assert that these American-made dolls are equal to the best Germany has ever sent over to this country. They are manufactured from American raw material, by a hygienic process, and are absolutely sanitary. They are dressed with chemise, have human hair wigs, with long curls that can be washed, oiled and re-cured, also mohair wigs and sleeping eyes.

The first completed doll was sent to Mrs. Woodrow Wilson at the White House with the explanation that it was the product of an American factory—the first ever manufactured in the United States. Mrs. Wilson acknowledged receipt of the doll expressing her appreciation and commending the enterprise of the manufacturers.

DON'T BE BALD

How to Make Hair Grow Strong, Thick and Lustrous on Thin Spots.

If your hair is falling out don't wait another day but get from A. A. Howes & Co., a package of Parisian Sage, the really efficient hair invigorator. Don't say "It's the same old story—I have heard it before," but try a bottle without risking a penny. Parisian Sage is guaranteed to grow hair, to stop falling hair, cure dandruff and scalp itch or money refunded. It's a scientific preparation that supplies all hair needs—there is nothing better.

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OUR ARMY BAKERS

The Workers Who Make Bread For Uncle Sam's Troops.

A COMPANY AT WAR STRENGTH

It Has Sixty-one Men and Is Divided Into Four Sections of Three Units Each, With Every Unit Complete in Itself—Garrison and Field Bakers.

A bakery company at war strength in the United States army is divisible into four sections of three units each. The sections are lettered A, B, C and D, and the units are numbered from one to twelve. In peace times there are nine units to a company, but for war service this is increased to twelve units a company. One bakery company is designed to supply normally a force of the strength of a division; a section, an infantry brigade and a unit, an infantry regiment at war strength.

The organization and equipment are such that each unit, section or company is complete in itself, so that orders directing assembly may specify simply the number of bakery units, sections or companies required at a given destination and the authority to whom to report.

The total enlisted personnel of a bakery company is sixty-one, of a section twelve and a unit four. Thus for a million fighting men about 4,000 bakers are required.

There is one commissioned officer in charge of a company, his title being assistant to the quartermaster; there is also a chief baker, with the title of quartermaster sergeant or sergeant, first class; four assistant chief bakers, one for each section, who are sergeants of the quartermaster's corps; there are twelve bakers who have titles of sergeant or corporal, each one being in charge of a unit, and eight other bakers for assignment to duty with the company or with detached subdivisions, according to the necessities of the case; thirty-two assistant bakers, who are corporals or privates of the first class; two cooks for each company and two other cooks or general police make up the total enlisted strength of a bakery company.

The commissioned officer in charge of a bakery company in the field is responsible for the operations of the bakery and the training and discipline of the personnel. He is responsible and accountable for all of the results also and can consider his work well accomplished when the men are well supplied with good bread both in camp and on the march.

The chief baker has general supervision of the bakery company and the field bakery. He keeps the company records, prepares bread cost statements and is general custodian of the supplies. The chief of each section is responsible for the general efficiency, cleanliness, etc., of his section, and it is up to him to see that the bread produced is of the proper standard. He inspects each run of bread after it is baked and before it is put in storage.

Likewise the chief of each unit is responsible for the work done directly under his charge.

Each field bakery receives from the quartermaster general a complete equipment, which includes, for example, 432 bake pans, thirty-six folding bread racks, four ranges and such other minor articles as axes, brushes, buckets, cans, hatchets, fire hose, measures, paulins, scales, scoops, dough scrapers, etc.

Bread used in the army posts in peace time is known as garrison bread. The term field bread is applied to a type of bread having a greater density, a thicker crust and a consequent higher capacity for retaining moisture than garrison bread. Field bread is intended for consumption by troops at a distance from a field bakery. Garrison bread is used whenever the troops are not more than a day's journey from the bakery.

Seven runs of garrison bread can be made in the army working day, insuring a production of 1,512 pounds of bread to the unit, or 18,144 pounds to the bakery company at war strength.

In making field bread it is possible to have seven runs in sixteen hours, which is an average day's work in the army field bakery. Seven runs will produce 1,008 pounds a unit each day or 12,096 pounds for an entire company at war strength.

The field oven in which the bread is baked is of the portable, knock down variety. It will bake approximately 3,500 pounds of issue bread or 2,000 pounds of field bread a day if operated continuously. In cases of emergency the army bakers are obliged to provide ovens out of the materials which nature gives them. The bakery recruits are taught how to make ovens out of bricks, clay, sand or even ordinary earth, so that they will be able to bake bread for hungry soldiers wherever they happen to be.

Army bakers are required to bake many other things besides bread. Rolls, cakes and sometimes other delicacies are provided for the men when it is possible to do so.—Baker's Weekly.

DODGE'S CORNER.

Care of the Feet. Women do not rest their feet and treat them to air baths as frequently as they should. After the bath slip on sandals or, better still, rest them on a pillow for half an hour. A sun bath is likewise excellent. Ten minutes' rub before retiring each night will often encourage drowsiness and remove the last painful kink from the tired muscles.—Exchange.

GIRL'S STATEMENT

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THE WHOLE GERMAN POSITION.

The Kaiser ignores the question of right and wrong; it is with him merely a question of strength. This is the whole German position. There is nothing to debate about Alsace-Lorraine, to his mind, and there is nothing to debate about Belgium, except the question of the relative physical power of Germany and the Allies to take and hold them. If it can be shown to the Kaiser and his accomplices that he cannot hold Alsace, or Belgium, or Istria, or Serbia, then he can see the logic of giving them up, but to tell him that he must give them up because he has no right to them is to waste words the meaning of which he does not understand.

The peace terms of Germany are: "We shall hold what we have got, unless you can take it away from us." The mask could not be lifted that was supposed to conceal the German terms, because there are no German terms but German victory. Germany means to hold on to what she has got, by whatever means she got it unless it is proved to her that she cannot. Under pressure, she might consent to restore a nominal independence to Belgium and some of the other stolen territories, but this independence would be only nominal; she would not part with her rule over them unless it was forced out of her hand. The Allies are willing to meet Germany on this ground. They have from the first shown a clear comprehension of the fact that if they wish to release the stolen people they will be obliged, as the Kaiser says, to come and take them. That is their intention.—N. Y. Times.

DODGE'S CORNER.

Mrs. H. Peabody Farnham has returned from a ten days' visit in New York and Massachusetts.

Edward A. Mathews of Union has been in town gathering his apples.

Miss Margaret Barrows of Massachusetts has been visiting her brother-in-law, Wm. M. Merrithew and her niece, Mrs. Arthur Herbert.

Mrs. Albert Eames of Portland accompanied her son Butler to the U. of M. recently and on her return visited relatives in Searsport and Belfast.

Mrs. Henry Harriman has closed her house and joined her husband in Hingham, Mass., for the winter. She was accompanied by her grandson Clyde.

Mr. Hoover.

Mr. Hoover is prepossessing. He is pleasantly persuasive, rather than arrogantly imperative. The path of duty as he shows us is more like the road to a picnic.

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STATE OF MAINE.

COUNTY OF WALDO, SS.

October 26, 1917.

Taken this 26th day of October, 1917, on execution dated October 17, 1917, issued on a judgment rendered by the Supreme Judicial Court for the County of Waldo, at a term thereof begun and held on the fourth Tuesday of September, 1917, to wit, on the twenty-eighth day of September, A. D. 1917, in favor of H. L. Whitten Company, a corporation duly existing by law and having its principal place of business at Belfast, in the County of Waldo and State of Maine, against Elijah L. Knowlton of Belfast, in said County of Waldo, for two hundred and ninety-six dollars and ninety-three cents, debt or damage, and fourteen dollars and forty-three cents, costs of suit, and will be sold at public auction at the office of H. L. Whitten Company, a corporation duly existing by law and having its principal place of business at Belfast, in the County of Waldo and State of Maine, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the junction of the cross road leading northerly from the house of Mrs. Armstrong with the road leading from Belfast to Hall's Corner; thence southerly on said cross road to line of land of the Pierce Brothers thence easterly to said Pierce Brothers' land to line of land of A. E. Brackett; thence northerly on westerly line of said Brackett's land to a corner; thence easterly on land of said Brackett's land to a corner; thence northerly on said Brackett's westerly line to the old road leading over the Brackett Hill; thence southerly on said road northerly to line of land of Charles Andrews; thence northerly on the westerly line of land of Charles Andrews to the new road around said Brackett Hill; thence northerly on said new road to line of land of Samuel Bakeman; thence northerly on said Bakeman's westerly line to the southerly line of land of A. K. Jackson; thence westerly on line of said Jackson's land and line of land of the Paul heirs to the easterly line of land of heirs of William Brown, deceased; thence southerly on line of said Brown land to said road leading from Belfast to Hall's Corner; thence westerly on said road to said cross road at the point of beginning. The above described real estate being the same conveyed under the following deeds, to wit: Deed of Oscar F. Heal to Martha Knowlton and Alva S. Redman dated November 1, 1890, recorded in Waldo Registry of Deeds, Book 227, Page 428; deed of James C. Durham to Elijah L. Knowlton dated December 16, 1911, recorded in Waldo Registry of Deeds, Book 318, Page 65; to which deeds reference is hereby had for further description.

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Brooks	7:27	Brooks	3:57
Knox	7:39	Knox	4:09
Thorndike	7:45	Thorndike	4:15
Unity	7:53	Unity	4:23
Winnecook	8:03	Winnecook	4:32
Burnham, arrive	8:15	Burnham, arrive	4:45
Bangor	12:05	Bangor	5:25
Clinton	8:24	Clinton	5:10
Benton	8:45	Benton	5:30
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SEARSPORT.

J. H. Glynn of Bangor was in town Friday on business.

The Red Cross Society now have rooms over the postoffice.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Parse left Tuesday for a visit in Bath.

Capt. C. N. Meyers left Thursday on a business trip in Boston.

Allan Colcord is to close his house and moved to West Wintport.

School teachers in town attended the teachers' convention in Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Andrews were in Orland last week visiting friends.

M. A. Cook returned Saturday from a week's business trip in Knox county.

W. F. Russell of Newburyport, Mass., was in town last week visiting his parents.

The Hubbard Fertilizer Co. has completed their new boarding house at Mack's Point.

Irving Bailey of Waldoboro was in town Friday visiting his brother, Chester M. Bailey.

Searsport's contributions to the second Liberty Loan was \$39,000 and \$25,000 to the first.

Rev. T. H. Martin who has been away on his vacation will occupy his pulpit next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln A. Colcord and daughter Inez returned Tuesday from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan will close their house and go to Dorchester, Mass., for the winter.

William McKenzie of Prospect has moved into the Mosman house on Mc. Ephraim street.

Steamer Ruth, Capt. Briggs, arrived Monday night with 4750 tons of coal for the P. C. W. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Paine, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Sargent, returned home last week.

Barge Boylston arrived Tuesday from Weymouth, Mass., with 1950 tons of fertilizer for the A. A. C. Co.

Barges Herndon, Franklin and Wisconsin arrived Sunday with 6,000 tons of coal for the P. C. & W. Co.

Mrs. Phillips of Salem, Mass., who had been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Duncan, returned home last week.

James P. Scully, superintendent of the A. A. C. Co., returned Wednesday from a business trip to Boston and Weymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonso Cunningham have gone to Burnham to spend the winter with their son, Orman Cunningham.

County Attorney Walter C. Cowan of Wintport will soon open a branch office here over the Bailey and Merrill Store.

Herbert G. Partridge of the Aviation Corps, now stationed at Mt. Clemens, Mich., arrived home Saturday for a short furlough.

Mrs. Lavonia Williams and mother, Madam Williams of Islesboro, arrived last week and will spend the winter with Miss Georgia L. Ford.

Capt. and Mrs. F. W. Treat will leave about Nov. 10th for Saranac Lake, New York, to spend the winter with their son, Charles F. Treat.

Frank Ryder, who had been at work for M. F. Parker, went to Union Monday, where he has bought the outfit of the local barber shop.

The Gordon and Pew Co. of Gloucester, Mass., are enlarging their plant and are now employing about fifty men and women in packing sardines.

Mr. and Mrs. Gould Flint have moved to Bangor where Mr. Flint is employed on the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad on the run from Bangor to Presque Isle.

In the southwest blow of Tuesday evening, the eastern section of the belfry of the Methodist Church, 10 by 20 feet, was blown into Main street. The street lights went out at 6.30 p. m. and were off for the rest of the night.

Capt. Harry E. Dow who has been for several years in the employ of the American Hawaiian Steamship company, has been appointed by the United States shipping board, commander of a U. S. transport and sailed Saturday from New York for a European port.

Mrs. C. N. Meyers gave a very pretty autumn card party on Friday evening, October 26th. Four tables of Bridge were played, both tables and partners were found by choosing autumn leaves in different colorings, each numbered accordingly. During the evening candies in autumn colorings were enjoyed, and at 11.30 appropriate refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Cora Dow and Miss Harriet Erskine, autumn leaves were used as plate doilies and were very decorative. The first prize, a beautiful basket of assorted fruits, was won by Mrs. Frank Curtis, and the booby, a Jack-o-lantern, by Mrs. Nathan Gilkey. Others present were Mrs. John Frame, Mrs. Henrietta Young, Mrs. Ella Mowry, Mrs. Sumner Pattee, Mrs. James Parse, Mrs. William Parse, Mrs. Alfred Pendleton, Mrs. Cora Dow, Mrs. Fred Smith, Mrs. Henry Curtis, Mrs. William Goodell, Miss Lucy Sargent, Miss Mabel Griffin and Harriet Erskine.

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STOCKTON SPRINGS.

Mrs. Lizzie Crawford of Hinckley, was the guest of Mrs. L. S. Titcomb Monday.

Mr. Irving Littlefield was called to Augusta last Saturday, returning at night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bagley were Sunday guests in Bangor, returning Monday afternoon by jitney.

Mrs. J. H. Gerrish left Monday for a brief visit with her mother, Mrs. Townsend, in Bangor.

Mrs. Everett Staples reached home from Bangor last Saturday afternoon on her return from her trip to South Sebec.

Mr. John Decker, chauffeur for Mr. C. M. Cram of Fort Point and Bangor, came Oct. 24th, to spend the night with his family.

Mrs. Grace W. Britto arrived Saturday night from Boothbay Harbor for a few weeks' visit in her home preparatory to leaving it for the winter.

Mrs. Rufus L. Mudgett entertained at cards, in a Sister Susie Party, the following friends: Mrs. J. F. Frye, Mrs. Everett Staples and Mrs. Harry R. Hichborn, on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Edgar M. Colcord socially entertained in a Sister Susie Party the following ladies: Mrs. Harry D. Shute, Mrs. Walter F. Trundy and Mrs. Nicholas B. Ginn, last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Elden H. Shute of South Sebec arrived Oct. 23rd for a call upon her mother-in-law, Mrs. Elden S. Shute, leaving the next afternoon for home, Mrs. Everett Staples accompanying her for a two days' tarry.

Mr. S. B. Merritt, Treasurer of the Stockton Springs Trust Company, informs us that the amount subscribed through the Bank for the Liberty Loan in town was \$10,000. Certainly a good showing considering the population of Stockton.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Griffin of Westboro, Mass., after several weeks spent with Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Hichborn and their aunt, Mrs. Angie Mudgett, left Oct. 25th for Lincolnville where they remained a few days before proceeding to their home.

Mrs. Alvah C. Treat arrived home last Sunday from Natick, Mass., whither she was called to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Helen Colburn. Mr. Treat joined his wife in Bangor at the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gerrish.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Universalist parish has been invited to hold its next regular meeting Thursday afternoon, Nov. 8th, with Mrs. Charles H. Emery. The hostess is hoping for propitious weather in order that a goodly company may be present.

Monday morning the following deer hunters started for Greenville, en route to Moosehead Lake: Messrs. Alvah C. Treat, W. H. Morrison, George C. Fletcher, Walter F. Trundy and Frank Paul Patterson, intending to be absent a week or ten days. May their last year's good luck (the legal limit) attend them.

Mr. Elden H. Shute of South Sebec was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Elden S. Shute, last Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Shute, accompanied by her two sons, Capt. Harry D. of Rockland and Elden H., and Mrs. Albert C. Colcord, motored to South Sebec Sunday afternoon to take Mr. Shute to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Griffin of Matapoisett, Mass., and their daughter, Miss Pauline, a graduate of the Massachusetts General Hospital, and their son Warren and friend Carleton Baldry of Fairhaven, Mass., left for their home, after a three weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. George H. Hopkins and Capt. and Mrs. Frank A. Patterson.

Mrs. Albert M. Ames recently entertained in a Sister Susie Party the following ladies: Mrs. Noah Twiss, Mrs. Elmer E. Thompson, Miss Mabel F. Simmons, Miss Leora Partridge and Mrs. Frank Jackson, in an auto ride to Belfast, where a call was made at the Girls' Home and packages of articles collected by Mrs. Frank Foster for the inmates of that institution was delivered to the matron.

Mrs. Rufus Harriman recently sold her residence, formerly the home of her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Goodhue, to Mrs. Charles H. Emery, who is having exterior painting done and town water introduced, preparatory to renting the place, tenements here now being in great demand owing to the employment furnished by the two shipyards—one in the village and one at Sandpoint and the two canning factories, one here and one at Lower Brook.

Sunday opened the present week with a remarkably fine autumn day—beautiful sunshine, mild atmosphere and a rollicking west wind, which took the leaves from our deciduous trees, whirling them wildly into piles, against every obstacle within their path. The moonlight evening was one of rare beauty. Monday was overcast and the afternoon brought a brief shower mingled with a slight fall of hail.

Miss Mabel F. Simmons left Oct. 24th for Boston, called there by the severe illness of her sister, Miss Lillian A. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Ames kindly taking her in their car to Bangor to catch the night train. Letters received since her arrival at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter F. Kimball, announce the sickness as a case of pneumonia, a trained nurse being in charge of the patient. Stockton extends sympathy to the sufferer and her anxious family, hoping for good reports daily.

Presumably every housewife of Stockton is deeply interested in conservation of food in these days of threatened shortage under the increasing demands for home food consumption and that required to feed our soldiers abroad and our off-timers suffering Allies. Remember this is the work for the special National Food Conservation Campaign from Oct. 29th to Nov. 4th, of which Gov. Milliken is the State chairman, with aids appointed for every city and town. In Stockton Dr. H. E. Small is the chairman and Miss Mary Hichborn is the vice chairman appointed to make, with helpers, the house to house canvass. Look out for the call and be ready to assist by signing the pledge cards.

The Surgical Dressing Committee earnestly working for the past year, has been notified by the officers in Boston, that that association has now become an auxiliary of the Red Cross and entitled to use the insignia of that body and receive all moneys due them. Great interest and unanimity of purpose has been manifested by our whole community, in this commendable work for which the Nation calls more insistently each month. The meetings will still be held in the Masonic Banquet Hall and the efforts directed for the present to the making and forwarding of oakum pads for hospital use in infected cases. An official letter, recently received, was highly commendatory of the work done by our ladies. There is work enough for all willing hands to do. Let all interested in helping our soldiers on foreign soil, rally to this good work, and promptly attend these meetings.

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TROY.

Zimri Carleton of Campello, Mass., is visiting in town.

Bert Cook and family of Monroe were week-end guests at G. L. Tyler's.

The town has been well canvassed and good success reported in securing signatures to the cards relating to the conservation of food.

Miss Rosamond Woods attended the Teacher's Convention in Bangor. Her friend, Miss Mildred Newton of Readfield, accompanied her home.

Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Hawes of Hyannis, Mass., after a visit of two weeks with friends at the Centre, returned home Monday. Mrs. Hawes is greatly interested in the Red Cross.

The meeting of the Red Cross with Miss Carrie Weymouth Saturday was well attended, where much work was done and plans laid for more. It was voted to send \$50 for more yarn.

Mrs. Sybil B. Bennet, a native of Troy, where nearly her whole life was spent, passed away Oct. 23rd at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roscoe Gould, in Newburg, at the age of 77 years, 8 months and 10 days. Funeral services were held at Cook's schoolhouse Thursday p. m., Rev. William Snow of Newport officiating, and the interment was in Fairview cemetery. Of her large family three sons and one daughter survive.

WINTERPORT.

Miss Hattie Snow of Wellesley, Mass., has visited her sister, Mrs. Clara Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dotson and son went to Boston by steamer Saturday for a visit.

The Winterport Fruit Growers Association are loading cars of Baldwins in bulk for a firm in New York.

Wilbur Crockett of Stockton Springs has bought the Hussey block and will reside in the upstairs apartment.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simpson of Mt. Vernon, who have been here on their vacation, left on their return home Saturday.

There were no schools after Wednesday, Oct. 25th, most of the teachers being in attendance at the Teachers' Convention.

The Misses Jordan of Seal Harbor were week-end guests of Mrs. C. C. Moody, coming from the Teachers' Convention in Bangor.

The recently vacated store in the Durham block is being renovated and it is expected that it will soon be occupied by Treat & Rowe Co.

Capt. Stephen McDonough is now in command of a large schooner in New York harbor. The captain is awaiting a permit to sail from the authorities.

William Rowe of Racine, Wis., who has been the guest of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Emily Rowe, has rented the Crocker house for the winter. Mrs. Rowe will be housekeeper.

Joshua Treat, Jr., motored to Rockland Saturday and was accompanied home by Mrs. Treat, who was successfully operating on at the Knox County Hospital for a throat trouble.

Mrs. Annie Atwood of Portland is the guest of her father, James Freeman. Mrs. Freeman will go to Massachusetts for a visit while Mrs. Atwood remains in care of her father.

Raymond Clark, who underwent a critical operation on his head at the Massachusetts General Hospital last month, is recovering and is now the guest of his sister, Mrs. Celia Butler, in Portland.

At the last regular meeting of Cushing Chapter, O. E. S., the degree was conferred on Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Barrows. Refreshments were served. An invitation was accepted to visit Hampden chapter Nov. 6th.

SOUTH MONTEVILLE.

Hon. F. F. Phillips has returned to his home in Watertown, Mass., for a short time.

The boys of the corn and potato clubs attended the convention in Belfast last week and report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Dow of Portland who visited Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dickey for a time returned home, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Dickey in their auto.

C. B. Dickey went to Boston last week on a business trip. Mrs. Edward Snow of Portland who spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dickey has returned home.

Mrs. Anna S. White of Brookline, Mass., spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Ripley. Mrs. White lived here in childhood on what is now the Follett place.

Rev. P. S. Collins of Conn., occupied the pulpit last Sunday. Mr. Collins was a resident here in his boyhood days. He has lately married Miss Laura Whitmore, a trained nurse of Massachusetts, who was also a resident here in childhood. Their old friends were glad to greet them once more.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Adams was held last week, and was largely attended. The following relatives from other States were present: Mrs. Margaret Savage of Haverhill and Mr. and Mrs. Hooper of Amesbury, Mass., Mr. Edward S. Adams and sister Emma of Howard, R. I., and Mr. Nathaniel Pierson of Prince Edward's Island.

SEAKSMONT.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Richards are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born Oct. 22nd.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Townsend of Belfast called on friends Sunday. They were residents of this town for a number of years.

On the evening of Oct. 20th the following officers were installed in Quantabac Lodge F. & A. M. by Leslie Ames of Camden: Frank W. Bryant, W. M.; John W. Levenseller, S. W.; George W. Butler, J. W.; Orrin Tibbets, S. D.; Charles Andrews, J. D.; Allen L. Madocks, Sec.; Joseph G. Packard, Treasurer; Ernest S. Wing, Chaplain; Orrin P. Jackson, Marshal; Fred A. Marriner, S. S.; Charles Butler, J. S.; Milbury F. Hunt, Tyler. After the installation ceremony a very interesting program was carried out. Recitations by Mrs. Abbie Ordway and Margaret Levenseller; piano duet, Mary Cobb and Arline Morse; recitations by Carolyn Packard, Marjorie Levenseller, Mrs. Nettie Marriner, Francis Berry, Mrs. Martha Butler; piano duet, Mary Cobb and Angie Patne; music by Mary Cobb, piano, Maurice Cobb, cornet and Orrin Tibbets, clarinet. After the entertainment a baked bean and pastry supper was served.

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SWANVILLE.

Mrs. Luella Nickerson is having her barn reshingled.

Miss Cora Parsons who spent the summer in Portland is at home.

Mrs. W. E. Damm has had a nice new hen house built and is going into the poultry business.

Mr. J. W. Nickerson is making some repairs and addition to his already commodious buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Hartshorn and daughter Martha, Miss Margaret Tibbets and Miss Doris L. Nickerson attended the Teachers Convention in Bangor last week.

Misses Ina and Sadie Gillispie, M. C. I. students, were week-end guests of Miss Ruby Gray. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Neal took the three young ladies back to Pittsfield in their car.

Last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Nickerson took Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Nickerson to the Pomona meeting with Sebec-ticook Grange, Burnham, making the trip in Mr. F. M. Nickerson's new car.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Nickerson and daughter Hazel and Mrs. W. E. Damm motored to Bangor last Thursday. Mrs. Damm and Miss Hazel remained for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cunningham and daughter Edna.

Last Saturday evening Comet Grange had a social at the Hall in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Palmer and Mr. Herman Bachelier who are going to California. They were all prominent members of the Grange. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Nickerson and daughters Gertrude and Avis accompanied by Mr. W. E. Damm motored to Bangor for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cunningham. They returned at night accompanied by Miss Hazel Nickerson and Mrs. Damm.

The many friends of Mr. A. Ross Nickerson will be interested in the following: Mr. and Mrs. Axel Edward Lundegren request the pleasure of your company at the marriage of their daughter, Herberta Elvira, to Albin Ross Nickerson, Sunday, November 4, 1917, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., at their home 336 Meridian street, East Boston, Mass. Mr. Nickerson is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nickerson of this place. After graduating from Dartmouth he went directly to "Pickens-on-Sugar-Hill" in the heart of the White Mountains where he has remained ever since proving himself very efficient in entertaining the summer sojourners. His genial manner and "roll home" made him a great favorite. We extend to Mr. Nickerson and his bride the best wishes for a large circle of friends.

MORRILL.

Mrs. Leo Jackson is clerking for John Vickery.

Lemuel Woodbury, a student at Bucksport, spent the week-end at home.

James Spofford of Boston has been spending a few days with Burton Thomas.

Mrs. Rafe Blood recently bought a Methuene piano for her daughter Hilda.

William Woods, who had been visiting relatives in Massachusetts, has returned home.

Donald Blood, who has been employed in a hospital in Medford, Mass., is at home on a visit.

Mrs. Elwyn Sawyer and little daughter Carmen of Augusta are guests of her mother, Mrs. Lottie Murch.

Mrs. Vilinda Hatch, who spent the past month with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Jackson in Belfast, recently returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert, Paul, County Deputy Charles Woods and wife, visited Harvest Moon Grange, Thorndike, last Saturday evening.

Fifteen from this place, through the kindness of Rev. Nathan Hunt and Dr. T. N. Pearson, attended a prayer meeting at the White schoolhouse in Belmont last Thursday evening.

News has been received of the death of Mrs. Trafton Hatch of King Ferry, N. Y. Mr. Hatch was a native of Morrill and has a large circle of relatives and friends here who deeply sympathize with him. His brother, Arthur Hatch, has gone to attend the funeral.

There was a happy time at the parsonage last Saturday evening. A party of twelve from Poor's Mills spent the evening with the pastor and his wife. In the course of the evening Dr. and Mrs. Pearson came in, and the doctor in the name of the good people of Morrill and Poor's Mills, presented the pastor with a fine fur coat, and his wife with a nice rain coat. It was a complete and very happy surprise.

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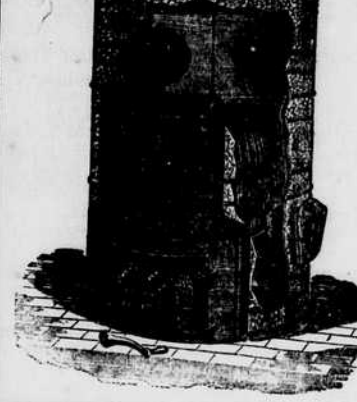
Mrs. Daggett of Thorndike has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. H. Shibles.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Aborn were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Woods in Morrill.

Walter Leonard of Camden spent the week-end with relatives and friends in town.

Horace Richardson who has been in Camp Deven, Ayer, Mass., has written home that he expected to go to Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 25th.

The members of the Knox boys and girls' clubs, Alma Woodbury, Lila Rabin, Fremetta Paul, Bernard Eastman, James Eastman, Ashbury Marden, Henry Vose, Herman Rabin, Eli Bucklin and Mark Shibles with their leader, Mrs. B. L. Aborn, were in Belfast Oct. 26th and 27th attending their convention. They were pleasantly entertained in the homes of the citizens, and it is needless to say they thoroughly enjoyed every moment and all went home happy with the prizes they had won. Four of the first prizes went to members of the Knox clubs: Mark Shibles, 1st on poultry; Ashbury Marden, 1st on potatoes; Bernard Eastman, 2nd on potatoes; Lloyd Wentworth, 3rd on potatoes; Fremetta Paul, 5th on potatoes.

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Burleigh Oddway left Saturday for Sanford, Me., where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Goodwin returned Thursday from a visit in Bath and Brunswick.

Mr. and Burnell Rankin of Chelsea, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Rankin.

Mrs. Annie Mahoney and Miss Hazel Deane of Belfast visited Mrs. Effie Rankin last Sunday.

Mrs. Sadie Perry, who had been the guest of Mrs. Annie Churchill for a few weeks, returned to Boston last Saturday.

The supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Fernald last Thursday evening was well patronized and a sum of \$16 was realized for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid.

The following teachers attended the State Teachers' Convention in Bangor last week: Mrs. Hattie Brown, Mrs. Lena Rankin, Mrs. Grace Mahoney and Misses Helen McCobb and Mildred Tolman. All report an instructive and profitable session.

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